

WILSON ORDERS TROOPS TO FRANCE

PERSHING TO COMMAND EXPEDITIONARY FORCE

DIVISION OF REGULARS TO EMBARK AT EARLIEST PRACTICABLE DATE

Announcement of Order Follows Signing of Selective Draft Bill By Executive—President Sets June 5 for Registration Under Draft—Full Strength of National Guard Will Be Drafted Into Regular Army.

WASHINGTON, May 18.—President Wilson tonight ordered that a division of regular troops commanded by Major General John J. Pershing be sent to France at the earliest practicable date.

Answer to France's Plea
This is the answer of America to France's plea that the Stars and Stripes be carried to the fighting front without delay to hearten the soldiers battling there with concrete evidence that a powerful ally has come to their support against German aggression.

Announcement of the order followed signing of the selective draft war army bill by the president and the issuing of a statement that under advice of military experts on both sides of the water, the president could not employ volunteers or avail himself of the fine vigor and enthusiasm of former President Roosevelt for the expedition.

Provide for 2,000,000
The army law provides for an ultimate force of approximately 2,000,000 men to back up the first troops to go to the front. When the bill had been signed the president affixed his name to a proclamation calling upon all men in the country between the ages of 21 and 30, inclusive, to register themselves for military service on June 5 next.

The proclamation sets in motion immediately machinery that will enroll and sift 10,000,000 men and pave the way for the selection of the first 500,000 young, efficient soldiers without crippling the industries or commerce of the nation or bringing hardship on those at home.

Even before the bill was signed, the war department announced that the full strength of the national guard would be drafted into the United States army beginning July 15 and concluding August 5.

Orders to bring the recruits to full war strength immediately accompanied the notification sent to all governors. A minimum of 329,000 fighting men will be brought to the colors under those orders, supplementing the 292,000 regulars who will be under arms by June 15. It is from these forces that the first armies to join General Pershing at the front will be drawn to be followed within a few months by recurring waves from the selective draft armies, the first 500,000 of whom will be mobilized Sept. 1.

Text of Announcement
Following is the text of the terse announcement of the war department as to General Pershing's expedition:

"The president has directed an expeditionary force of approximately one division of regular troops, under command of General John J. Pershing to proceed to France at as early a date as practicable. General Pershing and staff will proceed the troops abroad.

"It is requested that no details or speculations with regard to the mobilization of this command, dates of departure, or other items, be carried by the press, other than the official bulletins given out by the war department relating thereto."

General Pershing has been in Washington some days. He was personally summoned by Secretary Baker from the southern department which was under his command until tonight's war was issued.

Worked Hard on Task
The man who led the expedition into Mexico and handled his difficult task with such judgment and skill as to win for him the complete confidence of the president and his advisers has worked hard on plans for the expedition to France. He has been in daily conference with Secretary Baker, Major General Bliss, acting chief of staff, with department officials co-operating in the preparation of the forces he will lead against the Germans and also with Lieutenant General Bridges, head of the military section of the British mission and a veteran of the battlefields of France.

No inkling of the plans for the expeditionary division have been allowed to leak out. It is known, however, that orders have already gone forward to officers of tried

HOLD FINAL GENERAL TRADE CONFERENCE

WASHINGTON, May 18.—Broad principles underlying America's economic participation in the war, subject to congressional legislation were agreed upon today at the final general trade conference of British foreign Secretary Balfour, Secretaries Lansing and Redfield and British and American trade experts. Sub-committees appointed at the first meeting soon after the British mission arrived, submitted their reports, which were accepted in principle, and the few remaining questions were left to the committees to be worked out in practice on the basis of whatever legislation is finally passed by congress.

Generally it has been agreed that the United States shall devote its resources preferentially to the allies. In devoting a share of the scarce supplies and tonnage to neutral trade those countries evincing a friendly disposition toward the common cause will be favored.

THOUSANDS HOMELESS AND STARVING

GENEVA, May 18, via Paris.—The Lithuanian bureau at Lausanne has made public statistics received from Lithuanian sources. From these it appears that 150,000 persons are penniless and starving, living in cellars and dugouts. Four thousand farms in that region are reported to have been devastated. The death rate is said to be growing alarmingly on account of the unsanitary conditions under which the people are living.

judgment and long experience notifying them to prepare for foreign service. The number of men in the expeditionary force has not been disclosed. A division at war strength, however, totals more than 25,000 men of all arms and the approximate division of the war department's statement probably will exceed that figure.

SEEKING QUARTERS FOR ILLINOIS TRAINING CAMPS

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., May 18.—Telegrams were sent by Adjutant General Dickson late today to Elgin, Effingham and Flora, Ill., asking information about the availability at those points to land and advantage for a cantonment, not less than 2,500 acres in extent to accommodate Illinois' quota of the National Army of 500,000 which the president's proclamation will authorize.

DELAY CONSIDERATION OF ESPIONAGE BILL

WASHINGTON, May 18.—Consideration of all disputed matters in the espionage bill including the press and mail censorship questions and the export embargo section was postponed until tomorrow at today's session of the senate and house conferees. Several unimportant changes were agreed upon and the conferees believed a complete agreement could be reached in a comparatively short time.

Senate conferees, Senator Overman said, would refuse to include a newspaper provision of any sort. It is believed probable that house amendments of Representative Gaud will be eliminated without much discussion in view of the administration's abandonment of demand for a censorship provision in the bill.

FAVOR GOVERNMENT CONTROL

Chicago, May 18.—A drastic resolution favoring government control of properties and products in this time of war has been prepared for the Illinois state council of defense by John H. Walker, member of that body and acting president of the Illinois State Federation of Labor. It will probably be introduced at the meeting of the state council here tomorrow.

PROBES COAL EMBARGO.

Springfield, Ill., May 18.—Embargoes on northbound coal originating on their own lines, placed by the Vandalia, the Southern and the I. and M. Railroads, are being investigated by the public utilities commission as a result of complaints received today.

ROOSEVELT DECLINES TO COMMENT

Oyster, Bay, N. Y., May 18.—Colonel Roosevelt declined tonight to comment on President Wilson's refusal of his offer to raise a volunteer army for immediate service in France.

CONSIDERS MERCHANT MARINE SECTION OF BILL

Section May Be Adopted by the Senate Today

Adopt "Rider" To War Budget Measure Limiting Operation of Draft Law To "Four Months After the Present War with Germany."

Washington, May 18.—The proposed expenditure of \$750,000,000 for construction and purchase of merchant ships engrossed the senate today when it resumed consideration of the \$3,390,000,000 war budget bill. The section probably will be adopted tomorrow.

Before taking up the merchant marine section, the senate re-opened debate on the army draft bill, already sent to the president, and adopted without a record vote a "rider" amendment to the war budget measure limiting operation of the draft law to "four months after the present war with Germany" instead of to the "existing emergency."

The amendment vainly urged yesterday was supported by senators who feared the army bill as drafted might be construed to hold men in service after peace is declared.

Opposition to the merchant marine program came mostly from the Republican side and largely was on the question of conferring power upon the president to commandeer ships, shipyards and factories. Senators objecting said they feared what was termed "dangerous and far-reaching" power might harmfully affect business interests.

Senators Martin, Underwood and others told the senate that the commandeering power was regarded as essential by President Wilson, the shipping board and General Goehals, who will have charge of the building program, altho it was not thought it would have to be used. Its existence, they said, was desirable to insure complete success in acquiring ships.

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ORGANIZE WOMEN FOR WAR SERVICE

Form Illinois Division of Woman's Council for National Defense

CHICAGO, May 18.—Work of organizing the women of Illinois for war service was begun today by the formation of the Illinois division of the woman's council for National Defense. The first work undertaken by the organization will be to obtain a registration of the women of the state available for service during the war. Cards will be sent to every woman's organization in Illinois with a request that the names of all those willing to do public work during the war be immediately forwarded to headquarters. The state organization will not interfere with any work already under way by other bodies but will assign its members to various lines of activity as the needs of the country develop during the war. The state organization today elected the following officers:

Honorary chairman—Mrs. Frank O. Lowden.
Chairman—Mrs. Joseph T. Bowen.
Vice chairman—Mrs. Frederick A. Dow.
Treasurer—Mrs. Cyrus Hall McCormick.

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President Wilson's Conscription Proclamation

WASHINGTON, May 18.—President Wilson's proclamation, putting into effect the selective draft provision of the war army bill, signed tonight, follows:

A Proclamation By the President of the United States: Whereas, Congress has enacted and the president has on the 18th day of May, One Thousand Nine Hundred and Seventeen approved a law which contains the following provisions:

Section V. That all male persons between the ages of 21 and 30, both inclusive, shall be subject to registration in accordance with regulations to be prescribed by the president; and upon proclamation by the president or other public notice given by him or by his direction stating the time and place of such registration it shall be the duty of all persons of the designated ages, except officers and enlisted men of the regular army, the navy and the national guard and naval militia while in the service of the United States to present themselves and submit to registration under the provisions of this act and every person shall be deemed to have notice of the requirements of this act upon the publication of said proclamation or other notice as aforesaid given by the president or by his direction; and any person who shall wilfully fail or refuse to present himself for registration or to submit there to as herein provided, shall be guilty of a misdemeanor and shall, upon conviction in the district court of the United States having jurisdiction thereof, be punished by imprisonment for not more than one year, and shall thereupon be duly registered, provided that in the call of the docket proceedings under this act; provided further, that persons shall be subject to registration as herein provided who shall have attained their twenty-first birthday and who shall not have attained their 31st birthday on or before the day set for the registration and all persons so registered shall be and remain subject to draft into the service of the United States unless exempted or excused therefrom as in this act provided; provided further that in the case of temporary absence from actual place of legal residence or any person liable to registration as provided herein such registration may be made by mail under regulations to be prescribed by the president.

Section VI. That the president is hereby authorized to utilize the service of any or all departments and any or all officers or agents of the United States and of the several states, territories and the District of Columbia, and sub-divisions thereof, in the execution of this act, and all officers and agents of the United States and of the several states and territories and sub-divisions thereof, and of the District of Columbia, and all persons designated or appointed under regulations prescribed by the president or by the governor or other officer of any state or territory to perform any duty in the execution of this act, are hereby required to perform such duty as the president shall order or direct, and all such officers and agents and persons so designated or appointed shall hereby have full authority for all acts done by them in the execution of this act by the direction of the president. Correspondence in the execution of this act may be carried in penalty envelopes bearing the frank of the war department. Any person charged as herein provided with the duty of carrying into effect any of the provisions of this act or the regulations made or directions given there under who shall fail or neglect to perform such duty, and any person charged with such duty or having or exercising any authority under said act, regulations or directions, who shall knowingly make or be a party to the making of any false or incorrect registration, physical examination, exemption, enlistment, enrollment, or muster; and any person who shall make or be a party to the making of any false statement or certificate as to the fitness or liability of himself or any other person for service under the provisions of this act, or regulations by the president thereunder or otherwise evades or aids another to evade the requirements of this act or of said regulations, or who, in any manner, shall fail or neglect fully to perform any duty required of him in the execution of this act shall, if not subject to military law, be guilty of a misdemeanor and upon conviction in the district court of the United States having jurisdiction thereof be punished by imprisonment for not more than one year, or if subject to military law shall be tried by court martial and suffer such punishment as a court martial may direct. Now, therefore, I, Woodrow Wilson, president of the United States do call upon the governor of each of the several states and territories, the board of commissioners of the District of Columbia and all officers and agents of the several states and territories, of the District of Columbia, and of the counties and municipalities therein to perform certain duties in the execution of the foregoing law, which duties will be communicated to them directly in regulations of even date herewith.

Must Register Between 7 A. M. and 9 P. M., June 5.
And I do further proclaim and give notice to all persons subject to registration in the several states and in the District of Columbia in accordance with the above law that the time and place of such registration shall be between 7 a. m. and 9 p. m. on the fifth day of June, 1917, at the registration place in the precinct wherein they

have their permanent homes. Those who shall have attained their 21st birthday and who shall not have attained their 31st birthday on or before the day here named are required to register excepting only officers and enlisted men of the regular army, the navy, the marine corps and the national guard, and naval militia while in the service of the United States and officers in the officers reserve corps and enlisted men in the enlisted reserve corps while in active service. In the territories of Alaska, Hawaii and Porto Rico, a day for registration will be named in a later proclamation. And I do charge those who thru sickness shall be unable to present themselves for registration that they apply on or before the day of registration to the county clerk of the county where they may be for instructions as to how they may be registered by agent. Those who expect to be absent on the day named from the counties in which they have their permanent homes may register by mail, but their mailed registration cards must reach the places in which they have their permanent homes by the day named herein. They should apply as soon as practicable to the county clerk of the county wherein they may be for instructions as to how they may accomplish their registration by mail. In case such persons as, thru sickness or absence, may be unable to present themselves personally for registration shall be sojourning in cities of over 30,000 population, they shall apply to the city clerk of the city wherein they may be sojourning rather than to the clerk of the county. The clerks of counties and of cities of over 30,000 population in which numerous applications from the sick and from non-residents are expected are authorized to establish such sub-agencies and to employ and deputize such clerical force as may be necessary to accommodate these applications.

Must Show Shape and Train Nation.
The power against which we are arrayed has sought to impose its will upon the world by force. To this end it has increased armament until it has changed the face of war. In the service in which we have been warring to think of armies there are no armies in this struggle. There are entire nations armed. Thus, the men who remain to till the soil and man the factories are no less a part of the army that is fighting than the men beneath the battle flags. It must be so with us. It is not an army which we must shape and train for war, it is a nation. To this end our people must draw close in one compact front against a common foe. But this cannot be if each man pursues a private purpose. All must pursue one purpose. The nation needs such men, but it needs each man, not in the field that will most please him, but in the endeavor that will best serve the common good. Thus, though a sharpshooter pleases to operate a triphammer for the forging of great guns and an expert machinist desires to march with the flag, the nation is being served only when the sharpshooter marches and the machinist remains at his lever. The whole nation must be a team in which each man shall play the part for which he is best fitted. To this end congress has provided that the nation shall be organized for war by selection and that each man shall be classified for service in the place to which it shall best serve the general good to call him.

The significance of this cannot be overstated. It is a new thing in our history and a landmark in our progress. It is a new manner of accepting and vitalizing our duty to give ourselves with thoughtful devotion to the common purpose of us all. It is in no sense a conscription of the unwilling, it is rather selection from a nation which has volunteered in mass. It is no more a choosing of those who shall march with the colors than it is a selection of those who shall serve an equally necessary and devoted purpose in the industries that lie behind the battle line.

Date Desired To Be Remembered.
The day here named is the time upon which all shall present themselves for assignment to their tasks. It is for that reason destined to be remembered as one of the most conspicuous moments in our history. It is nothing less than the day upon which the manhood of the country shall step forward in one solid rank in defense of the ideals to which this nation is consecrated. It is important to those ideals no less than to the pride of this generation in manifesting its devotion to them, that there be no gaps in the ranks.

It is essential that the day be approached in thoughtful apprehension of its significance and that we accord to it the honor and the meaning that it deserves. Our industrial needs prescribe that it be not made a technical holiday but the stern sacrifice that is before us, urges that it be carried in all our hearts as a great day of patriotic devotion and obligation when the duty shall lie upon every man whether he is himself to be registered or not, to see to it that the name of every male person of the designated ages is written on these lists of honor. In witness whereof I have hereunto set my hand and caused the seal of the United States to be affixed.

Done at the City of Washington, this 18th day of May in the year of our Lord, one thousand nine hundred and seventeen and of the Independence of the United States of America the One Hundred and Forty First.

By the President:
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WILSON EXPLAINS ACT

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WEATHER INDICATIONS AND TEMPERATURES

Illinois: Generally fair Saturday, warmer in northeast portion, Sunday partly cloudy, cooler in north portion.

Temperatures
The current, maximum and minimum temperatures as recorded Friday were:

Jacksonville 72 85 61
Boston 62 72 48
Buffalo 56 60 50
New York 68 68 46
New Orleans 74 80 60
Chicago 62 74 65
Detroit 66 80 60
Omaha 86 88 66
St. Paul 80 86 58
Helena 62 66 44
San Francisco 56 60 48
Winnipeg 56 78 46

Gifts for Graduation

It's time now to be giving this matter consideration. Look over the list—come in and let us show you these Beautiful Articles

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Fountain Pens
Scarf Pins
Cigar Cutters
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Diamond Rings
Full Dress Sets
Military Brushes
Tie Clasps
Emblem Rings
Belts
Key Rings
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Napkin Holders
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Cigar Jars
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Bill Folds
Cigar Holders
Sets of Studs
Match Boxes
Shaving Sets
Pocket Knives
Cigar Cases
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Ash Receivers
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IMPORTANT WORK FOR WOMEN'S CLUB.

Important and serious work confronts the women's clubs of the country in accordance with the plans of the Illinois division of the women's committee of the council of national defense. Registration cards will be sent out to the various women's clubs thruout the state with the purpose of securing an accurate list of women prepared and adaptable for immediate national service.

The cards will be standardized and when they have been filled out and collected the committee will have a very accurate idea of the women who are available for service. Just what duties they will be called upon to perform the women will not be told but it is to be expected that there will be heavy and loyal co-operation in the effort to secure the data desired.

HONORS FOR A PRIVATE.

Since Illinois national guard authorities ruled that it would be impossible to send a detachment of Co. B here for the funeral of Private James Cully, who was killed while on guard duty at Pearl, it will remain for the citizens of Jacksonville and vicinity to pay any special honors that are accorded the young soldier. It has been well suggested that there should be an unusual attendance of Jacksonville people at the funeral services at Ebenezer church this morning. A long cortege of automobiles or other vehicles would be an impressive feature for the sad occasion.

It has also been well suggested that the church bells of Jacksonville and the court house bell might with great appropriateness be tolled at 10:30 o'clock for a few minutes as the service at Ebenezer begins. Certainly some mark of public recognition should be given this young soldier who has fallen—the first from this county since the war began.

AN ARMY TO FRANCE.

In terse language President Wilson has told the country that the situation demands that an expeditionary force be sent as soon as practical to the battle line in Europe. The leadership of this expedition has been delegated to Major Gen. Pershing, whose record in the Philippines and in Mexico furnish the best testimony of his fitness. The president's proclamation has fixed June 5 as the registration date under the conscription bill, and on that date it is the expectation that the names of ten million men between the ages of twenty-one and thirty-one will be enrolled. From this number it is expected by a sifting process to choose an army force of two million men, choosing them in a way that will not interfere with the industry of the country.

The president's action with reference to France means that he has felt the force of the argument of the English and French visitors that the Stars and Stripes floating on the battle line in France and supported by even a detachment of twenty-five thousand men, will give new life to the soldiers of the allies in the trenches, and can be expected to pro-

duce just the opposite effect on the other side of the lines. The president was expected to declare in favor of this French expedition. It was known that he would sign the conscription bill as soon as it was put into shape. It was known that he would fix an early date for registration. But even so, all these things serve to impress anew the seriousness of the conflict in which the U. S. has entered wholeheartedly and in answer to the call of duty to all mankind.

REASONABLE REQUESTS.

The suffrage amendment alliance of Chicago has sent letters to Chambers of Commerce thruout the state asking that these organizations communicate with legislators and congressmen and urge them not to lessen laws that protect the health and well-being of workers. The meaning is that women composed the alliance believe that the hours of women workers should not be lengthened during the period of the war and that the working strength of men should also be conserved. They believe that the overstraining done in England brought bad results and so they are asking that America profit by the experience of her allies in this regard.

The alliance is also urging as protection to the boys in training camps that a twenty mile white zone be established as a protection against vice and intemperance. The alliance certainly has moral and common sense ground for this appeal and the women thus working for the betterment of the soldiers and society generally should have earnest support.

THE RED CROSS DUTY.

Thus far the campaign for Red Cross membership in Jacksonville has been left to the suggestion that the books are open and that anyone interested may enroll. No doubt a vigorous campaign will soon begin for members because at least 7,500 people from this city should enroll in order to keep pace with the record set in other cities.

Avoid from what may be done in other cities, enthusiastic support of the Red Cross movement at this time is a matter of pure patriotism. The Red Cross membership means a great volunteer army of people who are willing to labor in the cause of humanity during the period of the war. When the Jacksonville campaign is well under way it will be the duty of every householder to see to it that all members of his family are enrolled. Cards will be distributed to be placed in the windows of homes where the residents have become Red Cross members and such cards will really be badges of honor. Get your mind made up that Red Cross membership is both a privilege and a duty and be among the number to enroll early.

EVIDENCES OF EARNESTNESS.

Certainly people of France and England should be impressed with the earnestness of the U. S. as an ally in the present war if that earnestness be measured by the support given thru the representatives sent to this country. It is announced that the work of this Anglo-French commission has been completed and doubtless at no distant day the eminent visitors will start on their return journey. Assurances have been given that the entire financial power of the U. S. will be thrown against Germany and already loans have been made aggregating over five hundred millions. The allies have been assured the same prices for munitions and foodstuffs that the U. S. pays. Naval forces of the U. S. have gone into the war zone to help suppress the submarine menace. Regiments of U. S. engineers are being mobilized for early departure to France and now the president has issued his proclamation directing that armed forces must be sent to the war front and at no distant day.

True, in return the allies made concessions by surrendering contracts for American ship building and in other ways. They also brought to America the fruits of their experience, won in the present war after many years and the point is that the U. S. has impressed upon her allies, and thus upon Germany, that it is no passive assistance that this country will give in the war against kaiserism, but an active, patriotic, well directed support with a total contribution of all the dollars and men that the great war will require.

WANT GOVERNMENT PATERNALISM.

If a resolution adopted by various labor unions and fathered by John H. Walker, acting president of the Illinois Federation of Labor and member of the defense council, should become effective paternalism in government would be realized. This resolution, which has already been favored by various labor organizations, suggests that corporations forego all profits during the war and that all crops produced be confiscated according to needs. The sponsor for this resolution would also have the government establish strict price regulations and take over all railroads and other common carriers for the period of the war.

These suggestions are the most drastic yet made and go much farther than those relating merely to the fixing of maximum and minimum prices for grain and other like necessities. The time has not yet come for action of this vigorous and unusual kind and the resolution is not likely to receive general support. The investigations the government has been making have already borne fruit in the lowering of prices of grain and allied products. The same is likely to happen when other investigations are made and it is entirely probable that conditions, while not normal, will be adjusted to such an extent that the government will not be impressed with the necessity of interference.

THE PASSING OF THE YOUNG VOLUNTEER, JAMES CULLY.
When Company B calls the roll as of yore
One voice will be silent, one boy less
be there;

One lad is not watching by bridge or by door
For foes that are lurking our feet to ensnare.

'Twas only a train rushing by,—and he fell;
He went not to battle to meet the grim host.
'Twas not by the bayonet, nor yet by the shell,
—he did well his duty; he died at his post.

He died for his country, he lives in her life;
He lives tho a certain his form hides from view.
Not a part of the tumult of frail human's strife,
But a part of the real, the pure and the true.

A volunteer hero; and right was his heart;
He thought not of self midst the rumors of wars;
A boy in his teens, he died nobly his part.
His life was his country's. He guarded her stars.

He went forth a patriot, his homeland was dear,
He loved those bright colors that over us wave.

Then drape in their beauty those Stars o'er his bier,
And 'shrine him for aye with Columbia's brave.

—S. A. Hughes.

Rippling Rhymes By WALT MASON

Thrice Armed

Thrice is he armed, the sages say, who hath his quarrel just; thrice armed, therefore, is Uncle Sam, who's out to win or bust. For never since the world began has nation gone to fight with nobler purpose in view, with cause more truly right. We covet not a perch or rood of any foreign soil, no treasure chests of friend or foe do we desire to spoil. We were not hunting for scrap, peace was our end and aim, we heaved a sigh of true regret when we broke in the game. We sighed in pity when we saw the old earth painted red, we suffered wrong with patient hearts, and laid away our dead. But patience cannot always last, nor pity still endure when wrong is heaped on bitter wrong; such ills the sword must cure. And so we took our harness down, and strapped it on our breast, and reached for claymores, helms and lance, and rusty axes. And now the fateful die is thrown, and crimson war shall last, till autocrats and lords of war are relics of the past. And ever as we pot the foe, and bag the kaiser's men, true inspiration shall we find, again, and yet again, in that great truth the sages wrote in volumes filmed with dust: "Thrice is he armed," so runs the rede, "who hath his quarrel just."

THIS DATE IN HISTORY

May 19, 1843—Col. R. M. Johnson, hero of the Thames, War of 1812. Great reception and ovation given to him at Springfield, Illinois. The veteran was met by committee of Springfield citizens at Berlin, 16 miles from Springfield, at 2 p. m., to which place he had been accompanied by a committee of public spirited citizens of Jacksonville. At Berlin Col. Johnson enjoyed the hospitality of his old friend Mr. Yates.

Drink Schrag-Cully's Peaberry Coffee at 25c lb.; it's fine. Phones 268.

MATRIMONIAL

Middendorf-Redshaw.
William Middendorf and Miss Mae Redshaw, both of Merritt, were united in marriage in Quincy Wednesday, May 16, Rev. H. O. Shank, pastor of the Central Baptist church, performing the ceremony. The young people were accompanied to Quincy by Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Hogan of Winchester and Miss Ruth Funk of Chapin.

The bride is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Redshaw and thus belongs to one of the most prominent and highly respected families of Scott county. She is a young woman possessed of many admirable traits of character and has the high regard of a large circle of friends. The groom, who is the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. H. Middendorf, is also a member of a well known Scott county family. For a number of years he engaged in the occupation of farming but of recent years has traveled for the Boker Mfg. Co. of Springfield.

The young couple will go at once to housekeeping at the Redshaw homestead near Merritt, and will carry with them the best wishes of their many friends.

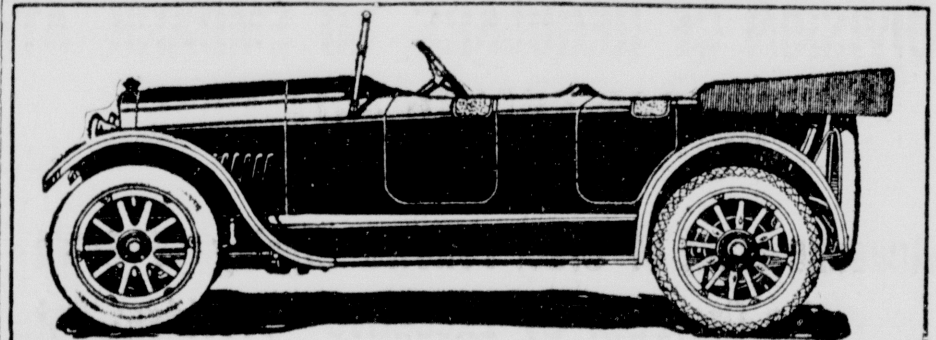
MURRAYVILLE.

Mrs. Charles Smith of Jacksonville came last week for a visit with her sister-in-law, Mrs. A. J. Johnson and family. Miss Helen Middlemore, a very successful term of school at White Hall this week, and returned Thursday evening. She has been re-employed for next year. Mrs. J. E. Thompson returned home on Thursday from Redhouse where she has been at the bedside of her sister, Mrs. James Leadard who is critically ill. Born Thursday, May 17th, to Mr. and Mrs. Warren Wright, a daughter, Eliza Ellen.

Chas. Mackness of Jacksonville was a business visitor here Friday. Mrs. Chas. Masters and children went to Waverly Friday for a short visit with Mr. Masters' mother. Mr. and Mrs. Bryan Sheppard of Waverly came Thursday for a visit with relatives. T. E. McCarty has purchased a Dodge car. Mrs. J. W. Wright and Mrs. W. W. Walker entertained a company of friends Thursday evening at the home of Mrs. Wright, in honor of their husband's birthdays. A two course luncheon was served and the evening proved an enjoyable one in every way.

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MINSTREL PERFORMANCE BY WINCHESTER PUPILS

Students of the High School Greeted By Large Audience Friday Evening At Lyric Theatre—Other Scott County News Notes.

Winchester, Ill., May 18.—The Lyric theatre was well filled here this evening for the minstrel performance given by the Athletic association of Winchester High school. The end songs were especially good and the numerous local hits and take-offs made up an evening of real fun. The program:

Whitman Overture—The Orchestra.
End songs:
"I wasn't scared but I thought I'd better go,"—James Collins.
"Edison is trying to learn to talk Hawaiian,"—Thomas Dugan.
"Taxis only an Irishman's dream,"—Albert Haddock.
"My Autobiography,"—Earl Lashmet.
"I'll Wed the Girl I Left Behind,"—Harry Gibson.
"Plant potatoes in yo' back yard and let them bloom for me,"—Wayne Fletcher.
Part two:
Debate: Resolved that big feet are a necessary qualification in athletics." Edward Speery, affirmative, and Max Shilag, negative.
Echoes— from the managers—Harry Rutigan.
Hawaiian song, "I left her on the Beach Honolulu,"—Earl Lashmet.
PERSONAL MENTION
Edward Owings has suffered an attack of measles and is confined to his home.
Mr. and Mrs. Edward Kendall of Bluffs were business visitors here Friday.
Earl Owings of Canton is here for a visit with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. George Owings.
Mr. Wallace Hart will return Saturday to her home in Naples. She was called here by the death of her father, Samuel Cohagen.

Drink Schrag-Cully's Peaberry Coffee at 25c lb.; it's fine. Phones 268.

15,000 BURLINGTON MEN GET 10 PER CENT RAISE.

Aurora, Ill., May 18.—A 10 per cent wage increase for all shop men and unorganized laborers in the employ of the Burlington railroad was announced today. The increase for the shopmen and clerical help is effective from May 16, while the track laborers' advance dates back to April 18. It is estimated that 15,000 employees are affected.

Our special cooking demonstration today will interest you. DOUGLAS GROCERY.

ALTON ENGINE HOSTLER

SCALDED
Wesley Kuehn, an engine hostler in the employ of the Chicago and Alton, was badly scalded about the body at Tallula Friday. He was brought to Passavant hospital where he was attended by Dr. Carl E. Black. The burns cover considerable area but are not considered serious.

M. Swartzkopensky will tell you something of the problems of modern Russia as these relate to the present war.

HAS HONORABLE MENTION
In the current Dry Goods Economy are presented a number of patriotic window displays in various parts of the country. Among them is shown to good advantage the one recently arranged by E. C. Grassy for the C. C. Phelps Dry Goods Co.

Harry Herring of the Howard Zahn Buick garage, made a business trip to Springfield yesterday by the Buick way.



HELP HIM TO SAVE

Every woman realizes the necessity, just at this time, of doing everything in her power to reduce the heavy drain upon her husband's income. Even with the most economical management of your household affairs it is pretty hard to lay aside a few dollars for the proverbial "rainy day." Let us help you by renewing some of your dresses, and thus eliminate or lessen your dressmakers bills. Dry cleaning by our up-to-date method makes the old garments look new.

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R. A. Harris of Pisgah was a caller on city friends yesterday.

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'PEARL OF THE ARMY'

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'THE HAM THAT WAS'

Fox Film Comedy

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One Night, Tuesday, May 22

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By special arrangements, the famous New York-Boston "Experience" organization comes here. This company played New York nine months and Boston five months. It has only played the largest cities of the country and is now returning on its first trans-continental tour extending from New York and Boston to San Francisco and Los Angeles. The season of the New York-Boston "Experience" company has broken all records from the Atlantic to the Pacific ocean.



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Eccentric Acrobatic Dancing
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Big, special stage setting for this act.

JACK BAXLEY AND
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In "Moments of Mirth and Melody."

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Two Reel Keystone

"THE JUDGE"

Featuring Charles Murray and Louise Fazenda
Also two Reel Mutual
"THE SECRET CLUE"

Featuring Dorothy Davenport.
10 and 20 Cents

COMING

Monday—Charlie Chaplin in his latest comedy, "The Cure." Also a reel Triangle, "The Female Speciel" featuring Dorothy Dalton, Howard Hickman and Enid Markey. Admission 10 cents to all.

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WAR NEWS SUMMARIZED

British heavy artillery, whose destructive effectiveness made possible successful Somme and Arras offensive, is co-operating with the Italians in their latest attempt to drive the Austrians from the line of the Isonzo.

Against the combined British and Italian artillery fire the Austrians have fallen in attempts to recapture lost ground between Gorizia and Tolmino. At four points along the line the Austrians have made repeated attacks, but all efforts were checked by artillery fire and infantry counter-attacks. The Italians are busily fortifying captured positions and preparing for another forward movement. In addition to the taking of much war material, Rome reports the capture of nearly 6,500 prisoners.

Artillery actions only are reported from the British front around Arras. The Germans apparently have given up hope of retaking Bullecourt and other strategic positions now in British hands and admit the evacuation of Bullecourt.

Along the Alsace and in the Champagne the German crown prince has given up his fruitless counter-attacks, but continues to exchange violent artillery firing with the French heavy guns.

Dense German formations, Petrograd says, have attempted an attack against Russian positions near Shelyov in the region of Vladivostok. The Russian soldiers met the attempt with artillery, rifle and machine gun fire and drove the Germans back.

The British light cruiser Dartmouth was damaged by a torpedo and other enemy vessels were damaged or destroyed in a raid by an Austrian naval detachment on the coast of Southern Italy and in a running fight that followed. The Austrian force was driven toward Cattaro, across the Adriatic, by a combined British, Italian and French force and forced to take refuge there with one cruiser seriously damaged.

Vienna declares that a British cruiser was sunk by a German submarine and that "Italian destroyers, three merchantmen and 20 armed guard vessels became victims" of the raiding force.

The British Steamship Camerota of nearly 11,000 gross tons and used by the British admiralty as a transport ship has been sunk. One hundred and forty men from the vessel are missing.

ORGANIZE WOMEN FOR WAR SERVICE

(Continued from Page 1.)

Secretary—Mrs. George A. Plummer.
Director—Miss Harriet Vittum.
Assistant director—Miss Edna Strain.

Eleven departments have been organized to carry on the detailed work with the following heads:

Allied relief—Mrs. Russell Tyson.
Coordination—Miss Jennie I. Stafford.

Conservation and thrift—Miss Isabel Bevier.

Courses of instruction on finance—Mrs. William S. Heffernan, Mrs. Ogden Armour and Mrs. Arthur Ryerson.

Food production—Mrs. Henry L. Dunlap.

Home relief—Mrs. Dunlap Smith.
Publicity—Mrs. Cecil Barnes.

Red Cross—Mrs. Philip S. Doane.
Registration for service—Mrs. Harlan Ward Cooley.

Speakers—Mrs. Kellogg Fairbank.
Women and Children in industry—Mrs. Raymond Robbins.

The foregoing chairmen with Mrs. Grace Wilbur Trout, Mrs. Hannah Solomon, Mrs. Frank Funk and Mrs. Edwin T. Johnson, will constitute the executive committee. An advisory committee of 55 women also was named.

The assortment of summer hats shown by Frank Byrns' Hat Store excels any previous effort.

HOLD STORMY SESSION ON WAR MEASURE BILL

(Continued from Page 1.)

meetings of the committee progress. After threshing out its differences, the committee returned to the house, sitting as committee of the whole, and successfully resisted repeated attempts to amend the retroactive income, excess profits, beverage and cigars and tobacco products sections of the bill.

NOTICE.

The annual breakfast of the Jacksonville Woman's club will be held today, May 19th, at 11 a. m., at the Christian church.

Mrs. Geo. S. Rogerson, Chairman.

"BETTER WAY" BOOSTERS VISIT ST. LOUIS

Return from Traversing the Southern End of the Trail with Good Report As to Condition of Roads.

Charles Magill, county commissioner, John Snyder, Charles M. Strawn and K. V. Beerup, officers of the Better Way Highway association returned Friday evening from traversing the trail from Alexander south. From the commercial association of Alton they received assurance of co-operation in marking the Better Way as far south as Godfrey. From Godfrey on to St. Louis there is but one feasible route and as the markings of two trails are already prominently displayed into the city, it is not thought wise to add any confusion by the addition of other colors. The Better Way so far has been marked to a point three miles north of Jerseyville. Northward the trail has been marked into Peoria.

The party found the Better Way in excellent shape along the entire way. Returning they came by the Burlington way, which also was in good condition at this time.

Plans are under way for a big road picnic at Alexander some time within the next two weeks. Burlington Way officials are planning to unite the Springfield and Beardstown divisions of the highway. By bringing the Burlington way thru Alexander that village will be on three great highways, the two named, as well as the "Ocean to Ocean" trail from east to west. For the celebration of this event friends of the good roads movement are expected in large number and a big time is assured all who attend.

REGULAR BUSINESS HOLDS UP WELL

NEW YORK, May 18.—Dun's Review tomorrow will say:

"Regular business holds up remarkably well considering its many hindrances with retail trade in some sections responding to improved weather and grain crop prospects are more promising. Yet the period of low temperature was too prolonged to make best results in spring distribution possible and the accumulations of merchandise reflect to some extent the influence of the extreme prices. While there is still full employment of labor and wage advances have continued the tendency toward economy among consumers is spreading and this evident not only in foodstuffs, but also in dry goods and foot wear. The lessened buying of necessities, however, has not yet lowered costs perceptibly and in many primary channels the large expenditures for military supplies act as a sustaining factor. Pressure on most of the leading industries has increased rather than slackened in some quarters ordinary demands are held in abeyance pending more definite knowledge as to the requirements of the government. With strikes of minor importance in certain branches and more skilled hands needed than are available, maintenance of manufacturing outputs is in some cases impracticable, and operations nearly everywhere continue hindered by the difficulty in moving materials and products to points of destination. Weekly bank clearings \$3,255,485,453."

AGREE ON DISPUTED POINTS OF MEASURE

WASHINGTON, May 18.—Senate and house conferees agreed today on disputed provisions of the navy personnel bill increasing the navy's enlisted strength from \$7,000 to 600 men and the marine corps from 17,000 to 30,000 men.

Pay increases agreed on for the navy's enlisted force equal those provided for the army in the war army bill and will give emolument of \$12.60 a month. The increase is \$15 a month for those receiving \$12 for those receiving between \$21 and \$24; \$8 for those receiving \$24 and \$15 and \$6 for those receiving more than \$44.

The section is effective from June 1 until six months after the war.

PRISONER SHOOTSELF AFTER KILLING SHERIFF

GOOD HOPE, Ill., May 18.—After shooting J. L. Barclay to death near here today, a prisoner, identified as Walter Niles, who had been surrounded by a posse, shot himself in the head with a revolver when his captors attempted to close in on him. He was rushed to a hospital in Macomb, Ill., in a dying condition.

The murderer who was being driven to jail at Macomb by Sheriff Barclay and his son, Earl, was under arrest on a charge of stealing an automobile. He first attempted to kill the younger Barclay, who was driving the automobile. The sheriff and the prisoner were riding in the back seat.

Niles died at the hospital in Macomb late this afternoon.

HISTORY OF MEDICINE

The Morgan County Medical Society Will Be Fifty Years Old This Month.

Anyone who has information about any of the early doctors of this county, or of any Medical Meetings or Societies prior to 1866, will confer a favor by sending it to Dr. Walter Frank, secretary of the Morgan County Medical Society, 200 Ayers Bank Building, and it will be edited for this column.

The following is a list of the officers of the Morgan County Medical Society by years from 1909 to 1917.

1909.
President—Grace Dewey, Jacksonville.
Vice P.—F. A. Norris, Jacksonville.

Secretary—G. H. Stacy, Jacksonville.
Treasurer—A. L. Adams, Jacksonville.

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Directors—H. C. Campbell, Jacksonville; H. C. Campbell, Jacksonville.

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President—Edward Bowe, Jacksonville.
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GEN. PERSHING HAS MADE GREAT ARMY RECORD

His Appointment To Lead U. S. Troops To Europe Merited By Services Already Rendered to His Country.

Washington, D. C., May 18.—An ideal soldier, in the opinion of every man with whom he has come in contact during his long and brilliant career in the United States Army is Major General John J. Pershing who is to have the honor of leading the first American army to be sent to France.

Ever since he came out of West Point in 1886 as senior cadet captain, the highest honor there, General Pershing has been living and fighting battles that fit him prominently for the highest honors in the service. He was ten years in the Southwest, fighting Geronimo and his Apaches. He was in the Spanish war with a negro regiment and was called by his colonel the bravest and coolest man under fire he had ever seen, and he accomplished the extraordinarily difficult task of subjugating the Moros in the Philippines.

It was for all these things, probably, but chiefly for his work in the Philippines that President Roosevelt in 1906 promoted General Pershing to the rank of Brigadier-General, jumping him over the heads of 82 other officers—the record jump in the history of the army.

General Pershing is fifty-seven years old and a native of Missouri. After leaving the West Point academy he entered the cavalry service, and in that arm has done much of his brilliant and enduring work. During his service in the Philippines he had to undergo tests, military and administrative, that proved him a superior officer. For his distinguished service and his ability to lead, he was promoted to the rank of Brigadier-General, jumping him over the heads of 82 other officers—the record jump in the history of the army.

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Each week our poultry wagon covers five routes centering in Jacksonville. They cover practically all the country within a radius of 12 miles of our store. The wagon carries a full line of groceries and we are ready to exchange for your produce at market prices.

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(Continued from Page 1.)

"The first troops sent to France will be taken from the present force of the regular army and will be under the command of trained soldiers only.

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"The responsibility for the successful conduct of our own part in this great war rests upon me. I could not escape it if I would. I am too much interested in the cause we are fighting for to be interested in anything but success. The issues involved are too immense for me to take into consideration anything whatever except the best most effective most immediate means of military action. What these means are I know from the months of men who have seen war as it is now conducted who have no illusions and to whom the whole grain matter is a matter of business. I shall center my attention upon those means and let everything else wait.

"I should be deeply to blame should I do otherwise whatever the argument of policy for a personal gratification or advantage."

Greatest variety of Panama, Leghorn and Yacht shape straw hats are displayed at Frank Byrns' Hat Store.

RANGE SET FIRE TO FLOOR
The fire department was called to the property at 139 East Dunlap street occupied by Richard McFarland Friday morning about 9 o'clock. Fire had started in the floor under the kitchen range. There was but little damage. The property is owned by M. H. Richards and the loss is fully covered by insurance.

TO M. E. BOARD MEETING
Dr. Joseph B. Barker, president of Illinois Woman's college, will go Tuesday to Chicago to attend the annual meeting of the commission on finance of the Methodist Episcopal church. This body, which has general charge of all financial affairs, consists of fifteen men appointed by the general conference, three bishops, six ministers and six laymen.

Mrs. Phoebe Hitt of Chicago is making a short visit with her nieces, Mrs. Geo. L. Merrill and Mrs. Frank Strawn, and nephew, John Russell, of this city. She expects to go from this city to Griggsville to visit friends and relatives.

MUCH CORN PLANTED.
This week will have seen more corn planted in the county than in almost any year in its history. In every direction the click of the planter is heard and the ground being in such good condition there is every reason to look for a good stand. With seasonable rains a fine crop may well be anticipated.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS
Charles Rossum by sheriff to A. C. Moffett, lots one and two etc. in block 23 and part of lot ten etc. in block 22 both in old plat of Waverly, \$281.70.

PROF. RAYHILL IMPROVING.
The condition of Prof. Rayhill continues to improve. He is very weak and gains strength slowly but in general his condition is encouraging and he is in good spirits.

Harriet Six of Alexander has returned from a visit with Mrs. Fred Grandjean of Springfield.

MORTUARY

McPherson

George W. McPherson of East St. Louis died at a local hospital Friday morning at 9:30 o'clock. The remains were removed to Reynolds Undertaking parlors and prepared for burial. Funeral services will be held from the parlors today.

NOBBY ASSORTMENT OF SUMMER MILLINERY; SPECIAL SALE PRICES AT HERMAN'S.

WITH THE SICK

Alvin Molohon who underwent an operation for appendicitis at Passavant hospital Thursday is improving in a gratifying manner.

Coy Harris of Pisgah underwent a minor operation Friday evening at Our Saviors' hospital.

Constable Anthony Ferguson is reported quite ill at his home on Hardin avenue.

Drink Schrag-Cully's Pea-berry Coffee at 25c lb.; it's fine. Phones 268.

BIRTH RECORD

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. Dean Crouse of Murrayville, a daughter, Bory Friday morning to Mr. and Mrs. Harry Clark on Vandalla road a son.

Relatives here have been notified of the arrival of a son at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Moses E. Greenleaf, now living at Kingman, Kans.

Mrs. M. E. Slaughter and Miss Elizabeth Slaughter spent the day Friday with Alexander friends.

Mr. and Mrs. F. B

Condensed Statement

As Reported to the United States Government
at the Close of Business May 1, 1917

RESOURCES			
Loans and Discounts	\$1,409,787.15		
Overdrafts	24,962.71		
United States Bonds	200,000.00		
Federal Reserve Bank Stock	7,500.00		
Other Bonds and Securities	878,156.39		
Furniture and Fixtures	11,807.48		
Real Estate	500.00		
CASH RESOURCES			
Due from Reserve Agents and			
Other Banks	\$966,385.58		
Due from Federal Reserve			
Bank	115,099.17		
Cash	183,651.05	1,265,135.80	
			\$3,797,849.53
LIABILITIES			
Capital Stock	\$ 200,000.00		
Surplus	50,000.00		
Undivided Profits	115,177.64		
Circulating Notes	200,000.00		
Deposits	3,232,671.89		
			\$3,797,849.53

The Ayers National Bank

CONCORD

Misses Alma Yeck and Ruth Titus visited in Arezville Monday night, returning Tuesday.

Mrs. George Johnson entertained the W. F. M. S. at her beautiful home west of Concord last Thursday afternoon quite handsomely, not the least being the usual good program and delicious refreshments.

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GRAND JURY WORK FOR TERM CONCLUDED

Indictments Returned in Number of Cases—Court Enters Orders on Both Law and Chancery Dockets

The grand jury made its report to the court Friday morning and was discharged. The report of the grand jury on the county farm was given in the Journal Friday morning. The jail report is printed below.

Report on Jail

The Grand Jury's report on the jail was as follows:

"We the undersigned committee appointed by the grand jury to investigate the condition of the county jail find the following conditions: The buildings are in fair condition. We recommend that the new part of the jail be lined with steel and that a ventilator be put in the old part. We also find twelve inmates, eleven males and one female, who seemed to be in a satisfactory condition so far as their treatment is concerned. We also recommend a fire escape in the east end of the jail. (Signed)

"Ratio S. McKinney, "J. W. Leggett, "Guss Henry, "Ed DeBaunend, "F. A. Hanson, "J. Harry Beasup, "J. H. Fuller, "Charles Schirz."

The jury had quite a number of cases before it for consideration but many of them were ignored. Only one case for illegal liquor selling was reported out and this was certified to the county court by Judge Jones. It is the intention of State Attorney Robinson to file information in such cases whenever possible and bring them to trial in the county court.

Mrs. B. A. Cratz, district president of the Rebekahs, visited Murrayville and Franklin lodges last week in that capacity and reported a pleasant and profitable session at each place.

J. Roy Filson of St. Louis spent the week end here with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Filson.

Frank H. Caldwell of Jacksonville visited the Caldwell family Thursday evening while on his way to Galesburg on business.

Rev. W. P. Bowman and wife went to Pittsfield Monday for a few days' visit.

Richard Smith and wife of Springfield spent Sunday with Mr. Smith's mother, the venerable Mrs. Larkin Smith, who also entertained her daughter, Mrs. J. M. Hamm.

The Epworth League of the M. E. church gave quite a pleasing program Sunday to an appreciative audience.

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Cooper and Mr. and Mrs. Aaron Petefish of Litterberry, motored to Springfield Sunday to see Mrs. Daniel O'Keefe who is in a hospital in a precarious condition.

George A. Caldwell of northwest of Beardstown was in Concord a short time Thursday returning from a business trip to Waverly.

John F. Nordicks owner of the elevator here, motored to Beardstown and from there to Springfield to attend the grain dealers' association the last of the week.

Celia Loughary and Claud Spoons' children have the whooping cough.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Williamson spent Friday in Jacksonville.

Walter McCarty and wife returned Saturday night from a vacation spent in St. Louis and other places of interest.

There will be an entertainment given at the M. E. church Saturday evening to which all are cordially invited.

Mr. and Mrs. John Irving of Arezville are moving a portable house to the region of the reservoir where they plan to camp for the summer and do their share in the agriculture and poultry proposition.

Miss Irma Cox of Virginia visited her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Cox and returned last Saturday.

M. Swartzkopensky was former body guard to the Czar of Russia. Hear him at Christian church Monday evening. Admission 25c.

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RECEIVED BY CONSERVATORY STUDENTS Students of Illinois College Conservatory of Music Gate at Excellent Musical Program Thursday Afternoon

The numbers given by students of the Conservatory at their recital Thursday were:

Dream Waltz (violin)Vogt
Tom Buckthorpe
Fairie Boat (piano)Slater
Gerald Shibe
Deep River (voice)Burleigh
Mary Pribe
La Styrienne (piano)Burgmuller
Lucy Pontius
Mosquito Dance (Violin)
Florence Leonard Masters
Minuet from Symphony in E Flat (piano)Mozart
Sarah Russell
Spanish Dance (piano)Moskowski
Ruth Reynolds
Seng Without Words (violin)Hauser
Marjorie Black
The Quest (voice)Eleanor Smith
Catherine Rapp
Valse Lente (piano)Coleridge-Taylor
Beatrice Day

DECEMBER DAY AT ARCADIA Memorial services will be held at the Arcadia Cemetery Church on Memorial Day (May 30) at 2:30 p. m. Rev. C. E. French of Virginia will deliver the address. Make this a day to visit our beautiful cemetery.

DISCUSSES McNEAL CASE

The following communication has been received by the Journal from Mrs. John McNeal of Beardstown referring to a previous communication published under the name of J. G. McNeal:

Beardstown, Ill.

Editor Jacksonville Journal:

With reference to letter recently published in the Journal from J. G. McNeal of Florida concerning the desertion of his children, it certainly looks like a case of desertion to me and to others who knew about the case. The children were left without anyone to take care of them except their relatives. This was done until the daughter Nina received a letter from her father telling her that he couldn't do anything more for them and directing her to get homes for herself and the other three children. It was then that steps were taken to get homes for the children, doing as he had advised, and I do not call it a crime to place the children in good christian homes where they will get good treatment, education and learn to live well and honorably. They were not receiving such instruction in their father's home, as many people well know.

As for the treatment accorded the children when they lived in Florida after their mother's death, they are best able to testify. The children declare that they were treated cruelly and heartlessly. It certainly means something when children turn against their own father and they never do so without good cause. Some city officers of Jacksonville were called to the McNeal home while he lived there and I am sure that they can tell something.

I notice in the letter that Mr. McNeal said that the day the children were sent to Sinclair that he accompanied them to the station and bought their tickets. I with my mother and aunt went to Sinclair on that same train. I know that the children came to the depot by themselves, carried their own baggage and bought their own tickets for I saw them. With reference to his son Henry to whom he wrote, he instead of assisting in their support port the children after he came but instead of assisting in their support he went to the home of his grandparents, Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Stockton, who are also my grandparents, but refused to do work of any kind. I know they tried to get him to do ordinary chores and he refused.

Mr. McNeal refers to the clippings concerning his children and said that they were sent without names. I sent those clippings and I fail to see any indecency about not signing my name or writing a letter, as I did not think it necessary. I have written this letter and ask publication so that all those interested in the case may read and know the real facts.

Mrs. John McNeal.

J. H. S. CLASS DAY PROGRAM ANNOUNCED

Event Will Take Place Tuesday Afternoon, May 29th in the David Prince Gymnasium—Several New Features.

Several innovations will be made this year in connection with Class Day at Jacksonville high school. In the first place the program will be given in the afternoon Tuesday, May 29, at 2 p. m., leaving the time for Class Day exercise not held in the high school auditorium. Since completion of the David Prince theatre all high school events have been held there and well has it demonstrated its superior advantages. Another new feature will be the presence of the valedictory and salutatory speakers on this program. The honor speakers have heretofore appeared on the evening of the commencement.

As before announced, commencement exercises will be held in David Prince gymnasium Tuesday evening, the 29th, Dr. H. W. Shryock of Carbondale delivering the address to a class of eighty eight, the largest yet graduated from the J. H. S. The salutatory services will be held in the evening this year, 7:45 o'clock at Central Christian church, being the time and place announced. The address will be given by Rev. E. L. Fletcher, pastor of Centenary M. E. church. The following is the program announced for Class Day:

President's address—Earl Priest, Salutatory—Cora Cherry, Class History—John Badger, Class Prophecy—Anna Veb Palmer, Reading—Bernice Wood, Class Will—Frank Bonansinga, Class Poem—Laura Smith, Class Song—Carol Hall, Valedictory—Albert DeWitt.

SAMPLE BED SPREADS Special Assortment Some soiled and very slightly Damaged, on SALE SATURDAY HARMON'S Dry Goods Store

WILL GIVE HONOR DANCE Invitations have been issued by Mr. and Mrs. E. E. Farrell for a dance to be given Friday evening, May 25, at Nichols park pavilion in honor of Miss Anna P. Brown and Marcy W. Osborne, whose marriage will take place in June.

George Hogan, county clerk of Scott county, was an arrival in the city of Winchester was among the city's callers yesterday.

ALEXANDER

Miss Cornelia McGath of Pisgah is spending this week with her sister, Mrs. Philip Burst.

Carl Wilson and Albert Smith were recent guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Philip Burst.

Miss Cornelia McGath and Robert Visser were recent visitors in New Berlin.

Ernest Visser and Clark Moore were Thursday guests of Mr. Flynn and sister near Prentice.

Robert Visser was a Jacksonville visitor one day this week.

Quite a number of the farmers in this vicinity have finished corn planting.

John Dunlap, who for some time has been employed on the farm of Frank Foster, is now at the home of his mother in Alexander.

Hon. Edward L. Merritt of Springfield was in the city Friday to attend the funeral of William Nance.

Baby Brick Qt. Brick

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20 BIG SPECIALS IN OUR HOUSEHOLD ECONOMY DEPARTMENT 20

- 75 cases Libby's Evaporated Milk, tall cans, while it lasts, can 11c
\$5.25 Case
- 35 cases "Our Pet" Brand Evaporated milk, tall cans. As much as you want at, can 12c
\$5.70 Case
- Positively last time we will be able to offer the above brands at the price.
- 5c "Sunbrite" Cleanser, 7 cans 25c
for 7c
- 10c "Lightning" Cleanser 7c
- 25c "Flash" Cream Silver Polish 17c
- 10c "Cleanup" Soap Paste 7c
- 5c Wool Soap, 6 for 25c
- 5c Fairy Soap, 3 for 12c
- 5c Sweetheart Soap, 3 for 12c
- Grandpa's Wonder Soap (10c size 3 for 25c) .5c size, 6 for 25c
- 10c Old Dutch Cleanser, 4 for 31c
- 10c Rexall Toilet Soap, 3 cakes for 19c
- 10c "Chamois Skin" Toilet Soap 3 cakes for 19c
- Colgate's Antiseptic Shaving Soap, 6 bars for 25c
- Famous "Rubdy" Turkish Bath Towels, 35c size 22c
65c size 43c
- 25c Mazatta Talcum 13c
- 50c "Londur" Quinine Hair Beautifier 37c
- 25c "Londur" Cream of fresh Lemons 19c
- Plenty of Insecticides: Hellebore, Paris Green, London Purple, Arsenate of Lead and Persian Insect Powder. Lowest market prices in any quantity.

Two Big Candy Department Specials

Just Arrived Especially for Saturday's Sale

Galvin's Ripe Pineapple in Chocolate covered cream, in pound packages 23c

FREE! FREE! FOR SATURDAY ONLY! With every \$1 or over purchase we will give you a ticket good for a 10c Ice Cream Soda or Sundae at our Soda Fountain.

Only 200 lbs. at this price—come early. "Peter Pan" bulk Chocolates, Caramels, Nougats and Assorted Creams, 23c lb.; 2 lbs. for 40c. The equal of any Chocolates at 50c lb.

Roszell's Strawberry Brick Ice Cream, 35c Saturday and Sunday. Fresh Strawberry Fruit Sundae with Strawberry Ice Cream 10c

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PLAN TO ATTEND STATE S. S. MEET

Convention at Kewanee Promises
Sessions of Great Interest—Prom-
inent Speaker Will Make Address.

Morgan county Sunday school workers are interested in the program recently issued for the state meeting of the Illinois Sunday school association, to be held in Kewanee for three days beginning next Tuesday, May 22. This will be the fifty-ninth annual state convention and hundreds of workers will gather to study methods and to seek inspiration in the very important work in which they are engaged. Among the convention speakers will be John H. Hauberg of Rock Island, John L. Alexander, Chicago; W. C. Pearce, Chicago; Rev. W. H. Blanche, Davenport, Iowa; Rev. John G. Benson, Detroit; Richmond Pearson Hobson, Rev. Gerritt Verkuyl, Chicago; Mrs. Maude Jenkin Baldwin, Chicago; Mrs. Mary Foster Bryner, Peoria. These are only a few of the prominent Sunday school people who have part in the program.

The music will be in charge of Prof. E. O. Excell of Chicago and his accompanist will be W. P. Erwin, also of Chicago. The Bible messages will be given by Rev. Jesse S. Dancy, pastor of Englewood M. E. church, who has recently tendered his resignation to Bishop Nicholson in order that he may serve as a chaplain in France. There will be four separate conferences for the elementary division, the secondary division and the adult division and in addition county and township officers teachers' training and home department workers will each have a separate conference. Reports from Kewanee are that the pastors, Sunday school workers and civic authorities, and will extend royal entertainment to all visitors. A number of delegates from Jacksonville and Morgan county will probably attend.

TODAY—ON THE FIRST FLOOR—FRONT TABLE—SALE OF WHITE WASH DRESS SKIRTS AT 98c AND SALE OF WHITE STRAW SPORTS HATS—TRIMMED, READY TO WEAR AT \$1.98. F. J. WADDELL & CO.

FRANKLIN COMMENCEMENT EXERCISES WILL ATTENDED

The capacity of Olinger's hall was taxed Friday evening for the annual commencement of Franklin High school was held and a class of seven were given diplomas. The Rev. M. L. Pontius, pastor of Central Christian church, delivered the address. Miss Alma Leake of Franklin and Miss Minnie Hoffman of this city furnished music. The salutatorian was Miss Ruth Tulpin and the valedictorian, Miss Ethel Whitlock. The graduates were Roy Smith and Misses Ruth Tulpin, Sylvia Skeens, Ethel Whitlock, Esther Samples, Frances Morris and Beatrice Anderson.

Panama Hats bearing union label, \$5 each. Frank Byrns' Hat Store.

SUNDAY SCHOOL RALLY AT LITERBERRY CHURCH.

Sunday is being anticipated with no small pleasure by the members and friends of the Sunday school of the Christian church at Literberry. Each year it has been the custom to have this rally the third Sunday in May for twelve years past. A fine program is being arranged and an unusually good time is expected. There are six young and adult classes in addition to the junior, primaries and beginners. Albert Crum is the efficient superintendent and all are joining in to make the event a success.

SPECIAL SALE OF HATS, COATS, SKIRTS, WAISTS — AT HERMAN'S.

THE COUNTY S. S. CONVENTION.

The date for the coming Morgan County Sunday School convention has not yet been named. It is to be at Concord and the executive committee is waiting for several reasons. They want to secure desirable talent; they wish to avoid conflicting with some fish fry dates at Concord which generally come in August and they want to avoid collision with the chautauqua at this city. Announcement will be made of the date as soon as possible.

PRINCE A. COATES BUYS OVERLAND

Prince A. Coates, living on a farm a few miles west of Jacksonville, yesterday purchased an Overland from the J. F. Claus Overland Co.

NOTICE.

The undersigned has this day sold his interest in the barber shop located at 218 S. Main St., to A. J. Hubbard, and knowing him to be a thoro workman I bespeak for him a continuation of the liberal patronage heretofore enjoyed by this shop.

A. B. OPPERMAN.

A HUGE TANK FOR PRIEST'S GARAGE

C. N. Priest, the Ford man, received yesterday a large 1100 gallon gasoline tank which he will have installed at once in order to accommodate his large and increasing trade. A string of cars is nearly always in front of his place being supplied with gasoline and oil and this makes increase in storage capacity has been made necessary on account of it.

Our special cooking demonstration today will interest you. DOUGLAS GROCERY.

Mr. and Mrs. Clifton Corrington of the east part of the county drove to the city yesterday in their Overland car.

LARGE GATHERING AT WM. NUNES' FUNERAL

Impressive Services at Northminster Church Conducted By Rev. W. E. Spoonstons. Generosity and Greatness of Heart of Deceased Were Emphasized.

Northminster church was filled Friday afternoon by friends and relatives of William Nunes, gathered to pay honor to his memory. It is seldom, indeed, these days that there is such a large assemblage of sorrowing people, even at a public funeral. Rev. W. E. Spoonstons was in charge of the services and appropriate music was furnished by a quartet including Mrs. James A. Scott, Mrs. Jennie DeFries, John Day and John Vasconcellos. The floral offerings were especially beautiful and they were cared for by Mrs. John A. Pires, Miss Amy Pires, Mrs. Chas. Pires, Esther Spoonstons, Neona Nunes, Lottie Fernandes and Myrtle Rollington.

The funeral party moved from the residence on East Independence avenue promptly and the services at the church began at 2:30 o'clock. Mrs. Grace Frank Ferreira was at the organ and played a march as the funeral party moved down the west aisle. Rev. Mr. Spoonstons read passages from the 13th chapter of First Corinthians and following personal references to the deceased preached a sermon on "The Victorious Life," basing it upon the text found in First John 5:4, "For whatsoever is born of God overcometh the world, and this is the victory that overcometh the world, even our faith." Mr. Nunes was not a member of Northminster church but the pastor had been his warm friend and spoke with evident sorrow. He did not paint the character of Mr. Nunes as faultless. He declared that the life of the deceased was very unusual in that the evil was uncovered to the world and the good was hidden from view, known more especially to those intimately acquainted with the man. So he paid the rare tribute to Mr. Nunes of declaring that he was without hypocrisy, generous and true to his friends, willing to make any personal sacrifice in their behalf. The minister said in part:

"A Loyal Friend.
"It would be superfluous for me to dwell at length upon the life of our departed friend for it was an open book. There was both good and evil in his character and his life story has been written in the view of men. No night was too dark, no weather too bad, no journey too long to prevent William Nunes from coming to the aid of his friends. He was strong in his likes and dislikes and so his life was marked by the intensity of his devotion and loyalty. This man's character was unusual because the bad was uncovered and conspicuous while the good was hidden away beneath the surface. So I say, his life was the reverse of that which is usual and many looked upon him and saw the roughness and did not detect the tenderness—the pathos—of the life known only to those close to him. I counted William Nunes as one of my best friends and I believe that he would have granted me any favor I asked if within his power."
"It so happened that I was at the railroad station when his lifeless body was brought in. At that time I did not know who had met death so suddenly, and as I looked upon him and recognized his features, instantly there came to my lips the exclamation, 'I have lost one of my best friends.'"
"As he lies there in the casket there is a little red rose in the lapel of his coat, placed there by a man once in comfortable circumstances who later met reverses and was then befriended and aided by our friend. It was such deeds that have given him a warm place in the hearts of scores of people. His home has been a veritable distributing agency for food and I believe that no man in this community will be more missed than this, our friend, who spent so many years of his life casting his bread upon the waters thru kindly deeds."

Sang the Old Songs.
"Yet as we praise his goodness we must remember also the lesson from his life, that he sacrificed the higher things for those that are lower. He set his mind and heart upon things of this world rather than upon those of the world to come. God was left out of his life, yet there was constantly with him the recollection of his dear old home and the religious training he received at his mother's knee. And he often talked to me of those earlier days. There had been a special sadness in his life since the going of his wife a little more than a year since and it is related that last Sunday night other members of the family had gone to church he remained at home and with an employee sang many of the old songs known to his childhood and as he sang it was with tears rolling down his cheeks. But it remains for us with our friend, as with other men, to commend the virtues and pass over the imperfections. His generosity was proverbial and his heart so large that he was ever ready to lend a listening ear to those in need and after listening to spread bounty with a generous hand."

In his sermon the minister said: "When we reflect on the fact that the great forces of the universe are invisible it ought to be easy to believe in the existence of invisible spiritual forces and realities. There are realities beyond the range of our physical senses. The carrier pigeon possesses a faculty before which we stand amazed. The soul of man has faculties which transcend the senses. The mind can travel faster and further than the body. The soul can go further and deeper than the mind. I am firmly believe that I have an immortal soul as that I have a perishing body. My spiritual nature is as great a reality to me as my physical nature."

St. Paul's Life.
"The career of the Apostle Paul illustrates the transforming energy of a divine faith. His life was a riddle hard to read by men of the world. The riddle is solved by a single sentence, 'The life that I now live in the flesh, I live by the faith of the Son of God who loved me and gave Himself to me.' That is in harmony with John when he says, 'That is the victory that overcometh the world, even our faith.'"
"The worldly life never looks up. It has no high divine ideals, no spiritual aspirations, no holy ambitions. An old writer expressed the antagonism between a worldly life and a life of faith by reversing the terms of my text, making it read, 'This is the victory that overcometh our faith, even the world.' The worldly man makes much of the life that now is. He makes little or nothing of the life that is to come."
"There is more in the heavens above us than in the dirt at our feet. By my body I am related to this physical world. By my soul I am related to the spiritual world. It is not wise for man to live as tho this life was all. Many do it."
"Love, joy, grief, sorrow are realities. They are as much a part of our life as are our material things about us—as the food we eat and the clothes we wear. You cannot see love with the eye. It has no shape or color. But it exists, and has a mighty power in human life and destiny."
The Clouds Will Break.
"You and I may live in this work-a-day world inspired and sustained by the mighty hopes that have filled and thrilled other souls in the kingdom and service of God. We may travel the mountain paths of life like Moses, seeing Him who is invisible. In the darkest experience we may be assured that the shrouded foot of the Nazarene is just before us so that in His steps we may tread. Our lives may be made beautiful and strong by the energy and enthusiasm of living faith in Jesus, our Savior and Leader. As the Arctic explorer endures the cold and loneliness of the long polar night in the assurance that there is a summer to dawn, so we endure the reverses of life in the assurance that clouds will break and heaven beam overhead."



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DAVID PRINCE SCHOOL PARENTS AND TEACHERS

Address on Care of Teeth Made by Dr. Noyes—Report on State Meeting of Clubs—Officers Named for Year

The David Prince parent-teachers association met last night for the last meeting of the year and had a profitable time with a program of music, addresses by Mrs. Roberts on the state federation and Dr. Noyes on the care of children's teeth followed by election of officers and appointment of committees and a social time.

The meeting was called to order by Mrs. Bradley, president in the presence of a large audience. The children of the seventh grade were introduced and sang two selections, "On Chapel Steps," and "Clumber," Miss Clara Smith accompanying.

Mrs. R. L. Pyatt, secretary, then read the minutes of the last meeting which were approved after which the nominating committee, Mrs. Parker, Mrs. Pires, and Mrs. Ferry, then Mrs. Parker, chairman announced their candidates as follows:

Officers Chosen
President—Mrs. G. R. Bradley.
Vice pres.—Mrs. H. L. Griswold.
Secretary-treasurer—Mrs. R. L. Pyatt.

Mrs. E. K. Towle took the chair while the vote was taken on the nominations and it was unanimous. The treasurer reported a balance of \$1.20 on hand.

Mrs. W. D. Roberts was then introduced and told of the state meeting of federated clubs. Only a very few of the suggestions she had are noted.

The meetings were held in the new half million dollar school house of Broomington. Every one eligible should join a parent-teachers association. There should be Red Cross branches in all places. In the schools each senior should take a freshman in hand to guide, aid and encourage. Especially should graduates be urged to have plain, inexpensive dresses. All should do their bit in advancing the welfare of the associations. Military training in high schools is wise. If a soldiers' camp is near help the boys in every possible way. Prepare them delicacies and give them all the brightness possible. Train the children for public service. Make gardens and encourage the children to do the same. Teach the girls home making. Give frequent lessons in thrift and patriotism. Do not close the schools on account of the war. Above all use every means to prevent the temporary nullifying of the child labor law. Teach economy in food and dress. Encourage playgrounds. Have frequent fire drills. Have the kindergarten a part of the public schools.

Miss Ruth Dorwa then favored the audience with two piano solos, "Love Song," and "Gondoliers," day.

both well done.
Dr. Noyes was then introduced and told about the care of the child's teeth. First he told how to use a tooth brush. First brush the back teeth top and sides and roll the brush so as to get the bristles between the teeth and then brush the front teeth.
He then told about the care of the small child's teeth. They should be filled if decayed and cared for generally as they have much to do with the character of the permanent teeth. The gentleman carefully explained the structure of the child's teeth, their growth and diseases and especially mentioned the fact that even after quarantining for contagious diseases the germs of the trouble might be carried to the school in the fumes and scattered by spitting. Defective teeth in small children are the source of disease, bad digestion and many ills.

The gentleman's talk was highly practical and much enjoyed. The chair then announced the following committees:

Committees Named
Program—Mrs. E. K. Towle, Mrs. Frank Hargrove, Mrs. L. B. Turner, Mrs. Laura White.
Refreshments—Mrs. Clara Reid, Mrs. Newman, Mrs. H. A. Perrin, Mrs. James Green, Mrs. Linderman and Mrs. J. W. Brockman.
By-laws—Mrs. H. L. Griswold, Mrs. Wylder and Mrs. A. P. Scarlett.
Membership and social—All the teachers.
The meeting then adjourned and a social hour was much enjoyed. The large audience was served with delicate refreshments by young ladies of the school and were much enjoyed.

NEW WHITE HATS For Present Wear JUST RECEIVED They are beauties and are reasonably priced. H. J. & L. M. SMITH.

MISS FAYERWEATHER GONE
The following from a Kansas City, Mo., paper will be of sad interest here:

"Fayerweather—Miss Mary E., age 34 years, died at 2:30 a. m., May 14. Funeral from residence, 5232 Lyons avenue May 15, at 3 p. m., Interment Elmwood cemetery."

Miss Fayerweather was the daughter of William F. Fayerweather, of the class of 1868 at Illinois college. Mr. Fayerweather was a nephew of President Sturtevant's first and second wife, they being sisters. Friends here sympathize with the bereaved father.

See Luly-Davis Drug Co.'s Saturday bargains on page 5.

FUNERAL AT WAVERLY
The body of Theodore Dashney was taken to Waverly Friday. Funeral services will be held there tomorrow.

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About 24 Krex 30x60 inch Grass Rugs for porch or indoor use, value \$1.50 — This week \$1.05

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SQUAD CANNOT COME TO CULLY, FUNERAL

Capt. Owen Unable to Secure Authority to Send Soldiers Here—Body of Private James Cooper Not Yet Recovered

Capt. Owen told the Journal over the telephone Friday night that he had made application to Col. Wood in command of the Fifth regiment to send a squad or an officer to attend the funeral of Private Cully here today.

Col. Wood took the matter up with headquarters in Chicago and received word that it would be impossible to give either an officer or a squad a furlough at this time. Capt. Owen made every effort to have someone from the company present, but was unable to secure permission.

The work of searching for the body of Private James Cooper who was drowned Thursday afternoon was continued through Friday but late Friday night no trace of the body had been found. Cooper's father reached Louisiana Friday and aided in the search.

Capt. Owen said that the river had been dragged for a mile below the bridge and motor boats had made trips to sand bars down the river where all the driftwood and debris lodged but had been unable to locate the body.

The river also was dynamited several times in the hope of bringing the body to the surface. Rivermen have advised that search be discontinued for a time in the hope that the present warm weather will soon bring the body to the surface.

Our special cooking demonstration today will interest you. DOUGLAS GROCERY.

GRACE CHAPEL

The third quarterly meeting of this circuit was held at the Chapel Friday afternoon with a goodly number present. F. C. Nickel was elected delegate and Daniel Dietrich alternate to represent this circuit at the annual conference to be held in Chicago.

Mrs. Pearl Smith in company with her father went to Springfield Saturday to see Mrs. Stewart who is taking treatment in that city.

Howard McFadden is plowing this week with a new gasoline tractor purchased from the Jacksonville Farm Supply Co.

Harry Braner and wife visited Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Charlie Braner of North Prairie.

Elder Baxter Hale has just returned home from a preaching tour through parts of Missouri.

Miss Bertha Mason is spending the week with her cousin, Mrs. Charlie Mason.

Miss Alma Ogle returned home Tuesday afternoon after an extended visit with relatives in Kansas.

Mrs. Hattie Farmer and daughter Florence are spending a few weeks with Mrs. Hannah Braner.

Mrs. Martha Loughary visited Saturday evening and Sunday with her daughter, Mrs. Lula Dawson of Jacksonville.

NEW FIRM HERE

The Sturgis Furniture company is preparing to open for business at 227 South Main street. The Sturgis Bros. are the proprietors and the elder brother has just returned to Jacksonville after a nine years' residence in Emporia, Kans. His family is expected here in the course of a few weeks. Second hand furniture will be handled for the present and special attention will be given to upholstering and work of that class.

Mrs. T. R. Ommen of Chapin was a city shopper yesterday.

WOODSON

Miss Grace McHorter is visiting friends in Jerseyville.

Miss Margaret Louise Owings of Pearl is the guest of her brother Herbert Owings and wife.

Mr. and Mrs. John E. Wright of Jacksonville, Mr. and Mrs. George Goacher, Mr. and Mrs. H. M. Goacher, Mr. and Mrs. B. R. Bishop all of White Hall and Mr. and Mrs. M. W. Thompson and son William, of Prentice, Mrs. W. T. Craig and Mrs. Carl Hembrough of Asbury neighborhood, attended the Mother's day services also basket dinner at the Christian church here Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin Cade and daughter Miss Mae were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Jim Harney in Jacksonville.

Miss Helen Snyder of Jacksonville spent Sunday with her friend Miss Alta Kehl.

Mrs. Tillie Klosson of Jacksonville is visiting her niece, Mrs. Charles Harney and family.

Floyd Harney is spending a few days with Mr. and Mrs. Amos McCurley near Clements.

Miss Lena Megginson left Friday to spend a week with Mr. and Mrs. Ralph White at their home in Champagne.

Mrs. Everett Grimsley of Murrayville is spending a few days with her parents Mr. and Mrs. Frank Kehl.

Mr. and Mrs. Lawrence Kehl and little son were guests of relatives here Sunday.

Mother's day was fittingly observed Sunday at the Christian church. There was a large attendance. Rev. W. H. Oldham preached a splendid sermon in the morning and Dr. G. W. Miller gave a fine talk in the afternoon. A program consisting of

Reading, "A Mother's Love"—Miss Lullie Henry.

Quartet, "Abide With Me"—by Mrs. W. H. Oldham, Mrs. R. R. Jones, Rev. W. H. Oldham, Dr. R. R. Jones.

Solo, "I'll Wear a White Flower for You, Mother Dear"—Miss Clara Belle Megginson.

Duet, "Nobody Knows But Mother"—Mrs. Clara Henry, Mrs. Nettie Ezard.

Solo, "O Time, Take Me Back to My Mother"—Miss Marie Megginson.

Quartet, "Sing Old Hymns to Me"—Misses Ethel and Corinne Shirley, Amos McCurley and John Shirley.

At noon a splendid dinner was served and enjoyed by all present.

Mrs. Olive Page and Miss Leta Sullivan of Roodhouse spent Monday evening with their aunt Mrs. T. M. Whitlock.

There will be a business meeting of the Ladies' Aid of the Christian church at the church on Saturday afternoon, May 19 at three o'clock. The president desires all members to be present.

Mrs. N. B. Westover of Jacksonville spent a day last week with her brother Dr. R. R. Jones and family. She was accompanied by her son, Frank Westover of Salt Lake City, who was enroute for Connecticut as a delegate to the National Convention of Musicians.

Dr. R. R. Jones attended the Sixty-seventh State Medical society in Bloomington Tuesday and Wednesday last week.

Mrs. Charlie Farrell and children expect to leave soon for a few months' visit in Kentucky.

Dr. and Mrs. R. R. Jones and daughter Martha were guests of Dr. and Mrs. E. W. Crum at Palmyra Friday of last week.

Mrs. Lucy McAllister and daughters Mrs. Dallas Crain, Mrs. Fannie McKean, and Mrs. Julia McAllister spent a day last week with Mrs. John DeFew at her home in Jacksonville.

Miss Minerva Wharton of Jacksonville spent Sunday with her friend Miss Lucille Megginson.

Mrs. Charlie Smith and children of the Point neighborhood spent Sunday here with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Ball Fitzsimmons.

Floyd Fitzsimmons who is a patient at Passavant hospital is reported as improving nicely. His many friends here hope for him a speedy recovery.

LYNNVILLE

Mr. and Mrs. Hubert Watson and children of Franklin were Sunday guests of Mr. and Mrs. Edgar Watson.

John Myers of Canton spent Saturday and Sunday with J. O. Parker and family.

Miss Louise German is spending a few days with her sisters, Clara and Helen German, of Jacksonville.

Miss Irene Hamel is confined to her home with an attack of the measles.

Sallie McKinney and Everett Smithson have been employed to teach the Lynnville schools the coming winter.

Mrs. C. W. Burdick and Mrs. Will Coultas of Winchester, were Jacksonville visitors Monday.

Several Masons from Jacksonville and Lynnville attended the Masonic meeting in Winchester Tuesday evening.

Mr. John Minter of Jacksonville journeyed to our village Tuesday in his Overland car and called on Mr. and Mrs. George Fligg.

Mrs. Emma Coultas and Mrs. Fletcher were Winchester visitors Friday.

Charles and Emma Tuke of Winchester spent Wednesday with their uncle, George Fligg and family.

A FINE STOVE EXHIBITION.

The exhibit of the Alcazar range at the store of Johnson, Hackett & Guthrie is attracting much attention. When one takes into account the wonderful compactness of the stove, that it can be operated either with gas, wood or coal or all three at the same time makes it a fine article for the kitchen. Then too, it may be used with coal oil instead of gas when gas is not to be had and that makes it a still greater desideratum. The lady demonstrating it is very polite and fully understands her business. The stove is very economical of coal and a fine attainment in a cooking utensil.

OLIN BENNETT'S RELATIVES FOUND

A Man Separated From His Family Almost Half a Century Ago Locates a Sister.

A few weeks ago a respectable man named John Bennett called at the Journal office and said his name was John Bennett and he was very anxious to find some of his family. He said when a child three years old he had been taken from his parents and given to Mr. and Mrs. John Bennett. He was so young when taken that he was unable to recall the name of his parents and the people who took him gave him their name.

"He remembered wanting to get back to his own family and running away for that purpose but always being caught and taken back. After a while his foster parents moved away and he lost all trace of his family and friends. His foster parents both died and he went from one place to another working at various things. When here he said he was in the employ of the Wabash road at Decatur but was doubtful if he would stay as the duties he had to perform were hard on his eyes. He showed all indications of an upright, hard working man. His story was published in the Journal at that time but failed to find a response. He was here again Thursday and again the story was told briefly and yesterday the Journal had the pleasure of hearing from a lady who said her name was Mrs. Kate Servance Haxton, 316 Reid street, and she was a relative of Mr. Bennett whose real name is James Edward Servance. The gentleman will see this notice and be glad to come and greet the lady.

WHITE HATS

Just the idea for Commencement; entirely new—just in. L. C. & R. E. HENRY (The Opera House Milliners). NEW THIS WEEK.

STUDENTS' RECITAL AT WOMAN'S COLLEGE

Intermediate students of the Illinois College of Music, I. W. C., gave a program of well selected numbers Friday afternoon at 4:15 o'clock in Music hall. Following is the program as announced:

Au Matin Godard

Elizabeth Hembrough.

Minuet Echorn

Rosemary Nimerick.

My Lovely Celia Old English

The Nightingales of Lincoln's Inn

..... Oliver

Edith Kensil.

Moment Musical Schubert

Bacaroile Nollet

Ruth Graves.

Ecstasy Beach

Sara Dietrick.

Serenade Cadman

Margaret Todd.

Melody in F Rubinstein

Dorothea Hermann.

Allah Chadwick

A Garden Romance Grant Schaeffer

Alma Piersol.

Gigue Bretonne Bachmann

Starr Boston.

My Pearl at Thy Sweet Voice

..... St. Saens

Esther Kirk.

L'Albanon Johnson

Helen Graef.

Expeditie Hour Hahn

Priniere Danse Massenet

Gladys Forler.

Waltz in E minor Chapin

Gladys Sargent.

My Snowy-breasted Pearl

..... Fred Mayer.

LAWN MOWERS.

This is lawn mower week. Special prices on the "Pennsylvania", "Diamond Edge", "Rugby", "Clipper" and "Cardinal."

Geo. S. Gay, Hardware.

PLAYGROUND APPARATUS.

After many unavoidable and tedious delays the new playground apparatus for the first ward grounds is to be installed shortly. Jacob Hosp who has work in hand understands his business so that the children in that vicinity may expect something very good for a diversion this summer. There was a rumor that the plot was to be plowed up and cultivated which caused no small lamentation among the young people of that vicinity but the park board hardly deems land scarce enough for that yet.

PARCEL POST SALE.

The ladies of the Congregational church had a parcel post sale Thursday afternoon which served as an event of much amusement and pleasure as well as a social time. A good variety of articles was arrayed on the tables and the drawings and sales were the source of much diversion. Nice refreshments were served during the afternoon and all went successfully. The hostesses of the day were Mesdames James I. Barrows, S. W. Carter and S. W. Nichols.

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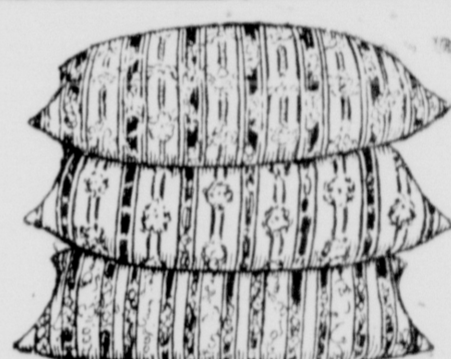
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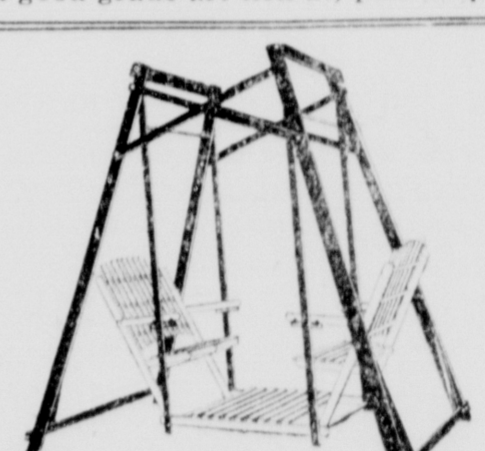
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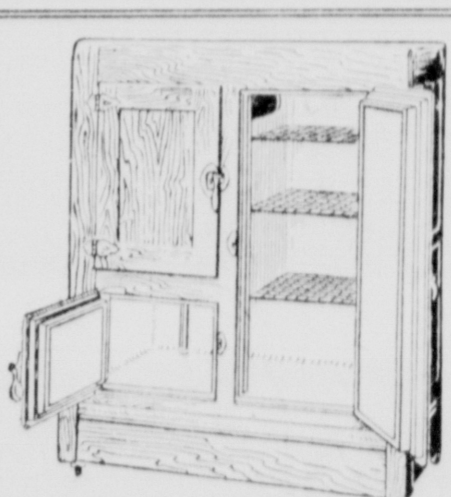
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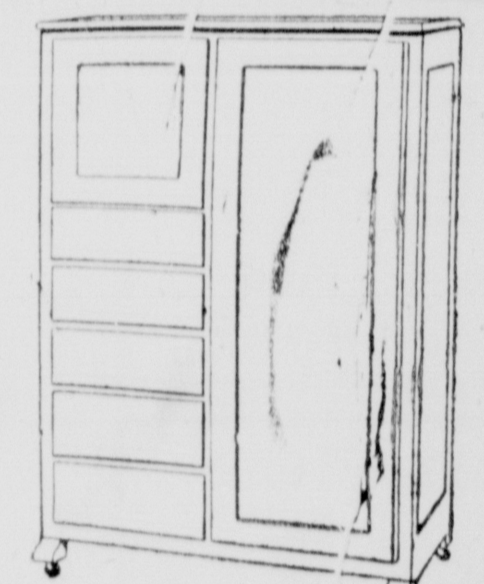
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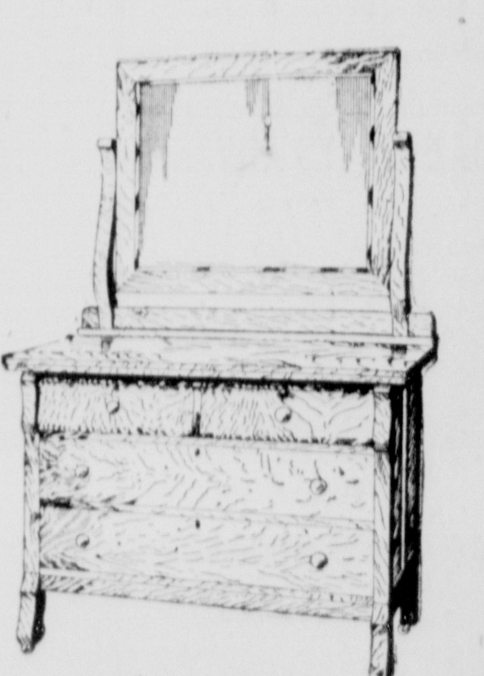
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NIEHOFF'S BATTING BIG FAC-
TOR IN VICTORY

Philly's Second Baseman Makes a
Home Run, Drives in One Run
With a Sacrifice Fly and Sends in
Another With a Single

Philadelphia, May 18.—Niehoff's
batting was the big factor in the
victory of Philadelphia over Chicago
today. The score was 3 to 1, the
defeat of the visitors checking their
winning streak after it had reached
ten straight. Niehoff made a home
run, drove in one run with a sacri-
fice fly and sent in the other with a
single.

Score:
Chicago: AB. R. H. O. A. E.
Zeider, ss... 4 0 1 3 1 0
Flack, rf... 4 0 0 3 2 1
Doyle, 2b... 4 0 0 3 2 1
Merkle, 1b... 4 0 1 5 1 0
Williams, cf... 3 0 0 0 0 0
Mann, lf... 3 0 1 3 0 1
Wilson, c... 2 0 0 7 4 0
Deal, 3b... 2 1 1 0 1 1
Wortman, ss... 0 0 0 0 0 0
Doughess, p... 1 0 0 0 0 0
Prendergast, p... 1 0 0 0 1 0
Demaree, p... 0 0 0 0 1 0
Wolter, x... 1 0 0 0 0 0
Reuther, xx... 1 0 0 0 0 0

Totals... 20 1 4 20 11 3
x—batted for Deal in 8th.
xx—batted for Prendergast in 8th
Philadelphia: AB. R. H. O. A. E.
Paskert, cf... 4 0 1 1 0 0
Bancroft, ss... 4 0 0 2 4 0
Stock, 3b... 3 2 2 2 2 1
Cravath, rf... 2 0 1 1 1 0
Whitted, lf... 3 0 0 0 0 0
Ludwig, 1b... 2 0 0 12 1 0
Niehoff, 2b... 2 1 2 0 3 0
Kilmer, c... 4 0 3 8 0 0
Alexander, p... 2 0 0 1 3 0

Totals... 26 3 9 27 14 1
Score by innings:
Chicago... 000 000 000—1
Philadelphia... 010 000 010—3

Summary
Home run—Niehoff. Stolen base—
Bancroft. Sacrifice hits—Whitted,
Alexander. Cravath's sacrifice fly.
Niehoff's double play—Bancroft to
Ludwig. Left on base—Chicago 3;
Philadelphia 8. First base on errors—
Chicago 1; Philadelphia 1. Bases on balls—off
Doughess 3; Demaree 1; Alexander 1. Hits and
earned runs—off Doughess 2 and 1 in 2nd; off
Alexander 1 and 1 in 3rd; off Demaree 2 and 1 in 4th; off
Alexander 1. Struckout—Doughess 1; Demaree 1; Alexander 1.
Wild pitch—Doughess. Umpire—Orth and Rigler. Time—1:16.

Brooklyn 4; St. Louis 1
Brooklyn, May 18.—Pfeffer and
Doak each allowed four hits today,
but the locals' hits were timely and
they won from St. Louis 4 to 1.
Daubert doubled in the first inning
and scored on Stengel's single. Otto
Miller hit a home run in the fifth
inning with Olson on first. Cruise's
muff of Stengel's fly and Hornsby's
fumble scored Stengel in the sixth.
St. Louis: AB. R. H. O. A. E.
Betzel, 3b... 4 0 1 6 3 0
J. Smith, lf... 4 0 0 6 0 0
J. Miller, 1b... 4 0 0 8 1 0
Hornsby, ss... 4 0 1 1 4 1
Cruise, cf... 3 0 1 1 0 1
Long, rf... 3 0 0 0 0 0
Snyder, c... 3 0 0 2 1 0
E. Smith, 2b... 2 0 1 0 1 1
DeFate, 3b... 2 0 0 0 2 0
Doak, p... 2 0 0 0 1 0
Packard, p... 0 0 0 0 0 0
Gonzales, x... 1 0 0 0 0 0

Totals... 30 1 4 24 13 3
x—batted for Doak in 8th.
Score by innings:
St. Louis... 100 000 000—1
Brooklyn... 001 000 000—4

Summary
Home run—O. Miller. Stolen base—
Johnston. Double plays—DeFate to
Betzel to J. Miller; Mowrey to Cut-
shaw to Daubert. Left on bases—
St. Louis 3; Brooklyn 4. First base
on errors—St. Louis 1; Brooklyn 3.
Bases on balls—off Doak 3; Packard 1.
Pfeffer 1. Hits and earned runs—
Doak 4 and 3 in 7; Packard 0
and 0 in 1; Pfeffer 1 run. Struckout—
Doak 2; Pfeffer 5. Wild pitch—
Packard. Umpires—O'Day and Har-
rison. Time—7:40.

New York 8; Pittsburgh 1
New York, May 18.—Pittsburgh
lost to New York here today 8 to 1.
New York clinched the game in the
first inning when, with the bases
full, Brief, attempting a play at the
plate, threw the ball into the Pitts-
burgh dugout, two men scoring.
Score:
Pittsburgh... 000 000 001—1
New York... 000 120 200—8
Batteries—Grimes and Schmidt;
Saltee and Raden, McCarty.

Cincinnati 4; Boston 1
Boston, May 18.—Cincinnati opened
its first series here today by
defeating Boston 4 to 1. Boston
made only five hits off Ring.
Score:
Cincinnati... 000 100 001—4
Boston... 000 001 000—1
Batteries—Ring and Rubin; Ru-
dolph, Neff and Gowdy, Truesser.

A DOLLAR FOR NEW CORN
Already the speculators are in the
field as was attested by a farmer
yesterday who said he had had an
offer of a dollar a bushel for new
corn but rather thought he would
decline it. Another said he was sell-
ing corn at his farm at \$1.45.

Mr. and Mrs. Albert Knoepfel of
Portland traveled to the city yester-
day for shopping purposes.

HOW THEY STAND

National League		Won	Lost	Pct.
Chicago	...	22	10	.688
New York	...	15	7	.682
Philadelphia	...	15	9	.625
Cincinnati	...	14	12	.538
Boston	...	13	18	.419
Brooklyn	...	8	14	.364
Pittsburgh	...	8	14	.364
Pittsburgh	...	9	20	.310

American League		Won	Lost	Pct.
Boston	...	17	9	.654
New York	...	17	9	.654
Chicago	...	21	12	.636
Cleveland	...	16	15	.516
St. Louis	...	14	17	.453
Washington	...	12	16	.429
Detroit	...	10	18	.357
Philadelphia	...	7	18	.280

YESTERDAY'S RESULTS

National League.
Chicago, 1; Philadelphia, 3.
Pittsburgh, 1; New York, 8.
Cincinnati, 4; Boston, 1.
St. Louis, 1; Brooklyn, 4.

American League.
New York, 7; Detroit, 3.
Boston, 2; Chicago, 8.
Washington, 8; St. Louis, 2.

American Association.
Columbus, 4; Minneapolis, 1.
Indianapolis, 5; Kansas City, 4.
Louisville, 8; St. Paul, 10.
Toledo, 8; Milwaukee, 5.

Western League.
Denver, 6; Joplin, 7.
Wichita, 1; St. Joseph, 3.
Lincoln, 16; Omaha, 13.
Sioux City, 3; Des Moines, 4.

Three-I League.
Rock Island, 4; Hannibal, 9.
Peoria, 6; Bloomington, 7. (11
innings).

Central Association.
Cedar Rapids, 4; Mason City, 7.
LaCrosse, 6; Marshalltown, 23.
Clinton, 6; Fort Dodge, 7.
Dubuque, 8; Waterloo, 3.

WHERE THEY PLAY TODAY

National League
Pittsburgh at New York.
Cincinnati at Boston.
Chicago at Philadelphia.
St. Louis at Brooklyn.

American League
Washington at St. Louis.
Philadelphia at Cleveland.
New York at Detroit.
Boston at Chicago.

—YOUNGBLOOD—

David Wilson and F. L. Hungerford
were Jacksonville visitors Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Dalton
were county seat visitors Friday.
Mr. and Mrs. Herman Perry of De-
catur have been called here by the
death of Mrs. Perry's father, Alex-
ander Large.

Alexander Large, an old and well
respected gentleman died at his re-
sidence three miles south of Norton-
ville Saturday at three p. m. after
a lingering illness of several months
with Bright's disease.

Mrs. Matilda Newby has returned
home from Providence where she
has been nursing Mrs. James Sey-
mour.

Leonard Dalton is serving on the
petit jury this week in Jacksonville.
Edward Lumsden and James An-
derson were callers in Jacksonville
Thursday.

Carlin Dalton and family and J.
R. Myers and family spent Sunday
with Green Dalton and family.

Mrs. C. E. Edwards is improving
after a severe illness.
Nortonville has organized a base-
ball team which played the first
game Sunday.

—EGYPT PRAIRIE—

Mrs. Norris Bracewell and chil-
dren and Miss Mary Jackson called
on Mrs. Virgil Loneragan Saturday
afternoon.

Miss Zelpha Jackson is assisting
Mrs. Frank Loneragan with her house-
cleaning this week.

Mr. and Mrs. Irvin Henry and son
Ralph spent Sunday with Con Lon-
eragan and family.

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Mutch spent
Sunday with John Mutch and fam-
ily.

Willard Hall and Miss Clara Dal-
ton, Ed Clayton and Miss Jennie
O'Brien attended the carnival in
Jacksonville Saturday night.

Miss McSheppard and Miss Clara
Dalton spent Monday with Mrs. Con
Loneragan.

Mr. and Mrs. Orville Mutch at-
tended the play given at Carlson's
Hall Wednesday night.

Mrs. Beulah Mutch spent Tuesday
afternoon with Misses Vena and Lois
Spencer.

Mrs. Frank Story and son Webster
and Miss Minnie Sorrells spent Tues-
day afternoon with Mrs. Con Loner-
gan.

MURRAYVILLE

Mr. and Mrs. George Clayton and
Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Lovell spent
Sunday with Thomas Bell and fam-
ily.

Michael Coleman was a recent
guest at the home of Adrian Koyne.
Albert Weder and family spent
Sunday with relatives near Winches-
ter.

John Thady a family spent a
day recently with Alfred Cockerill
and family.

Mrs. C. E. Hart of Greasy Prairie
was a guest at the home of Henry
Herring the first of the week.

William Lawless shipped a car of
hops to St. Louis one day last week.
Maurice Hart, a private of Com-
pany B, stationed at Louisiana, Mo.,
was a recent guest at the home of
Joseph Worrall.

Misses Mae Belle, Isabelle and
Esther Wild and Messrs. Thomas
Craddock and Lloyd Bell spent Mon-
day evening at the home of Joseph
Worrall.

CHICAGO TAKES SERIES
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SOX BREAK BABE RUTH'S WIN-
NING STREAK

Chicago Plays a Batting Game,
Gathering a Total of Fifteen Hits
off Ruth and Bader—Senators
Down St. Louis

Chicago, May 18.—Chicago broke
Babe Ruth's winning streak of seven
straight games today when it de-
feated Boston 8 to 2 in the first
game of the series here. Chicago
played a batting game, gathering a
total of fifteen hits off Ruth and
Bader.

Score:
Boston: AB. R. H. O. A. E.
Boseman, rf... 5 0 0 0 0 0
Shorten, rf... 1 0 0 0 0 0
Barry, 2b... 2 0 0 1 2 0
Janvry, 2b... 1 0 0 2 1 0
Gainer, 1b... 4 1 1 19 0 0
Lewis, lf... 4 0 0 3 0 0
Walsh, cf... 4 0 1 1 0 0
Gardner, 3b... 4 1 1 3 3 0
Scott, ss... 4 0 1 1 1 2
Agnew, c... 3 0 0 3 2 0
Ruth, p... 1 0 0 0 0 0
Bader, p... 1 0 0 0 0 0

Totals... 32 2 4 24 12 2
Chicago: AB. R. H. O. A. E.
J. Collins, rf... 4 1 2 3 0 0
Weaver, 3b... 5 1 1 13 1 1
E. Collins, 2b... 3 1 0 1 2 0
Jackson, lf... 5 2 3 1 0 0
Felsch, cf... 4 1 2 5 0 0
Gandil, 1b... 4 1 3 5 0 0
Jourdan, 1b... 1 0 0 1 1 0
Risberg, ss... 4 1 0 3 1 0
Schalk, c... 3 0 2 7 0 1
Russell, p... 4 0 2 0 1 0

Totals... 37 8 15 27 8 2
Score by innings:
Boston... 010 000 000—3
Chicago... 032 003 000—8

Summary
Two base hits—Gardner, Scott,
Felsch, Gainer. Stolen base—Barry.
Sacrifice hit—J. Collins. Left on
base—Boston 5; Chicago 11. First
base on errors—Boston 1; Chicago
1. Bases on balls—off Russell 1;
Ruth 3; Bader 2. Hits and earned
runs—off Ruth 4 and 4; Bader 11
and 0 in 4. Hit by pitcher—by
Russell 3; Ruth 1; Bader 1. Wild
pitch—Bader. Umpires—Connolly,
McCormick, Nallin. Time—2:07.

Washington 8; St. Louis 2
St. Louis, May 18.—St. Louis con-
tinued to field indifferently today
and Plank was none too effective today
and Washington won 8 to 2. Wash-
ington got one or more hits in each
inning but the sixth.

Score:
Washington: AB. R. H. O. A. E.
Judge, 1b... 5 2 1 7 0 0
Foster, 2b... 3 2 1 0 2 0
Milan, cf... 3 0 0 4 0 0
Rice, rf... 5 2 2 2 0 0
Shanks, lf... 4 1 1 4 1 0
Morgan, 2b... 5 0 3 4 2 0
Henry, c... 5 1 1 4 0 0
Crane, ss... 4 0 1 2 2 1
Harper, p... 0 0 0 0 0 0
Gallia, x... 1 0 1 0 0 0
Dumont, p... 1 0 1 0 0 0

Totals... 38 8 12 27 8 1
St. Louis: AB. R. H. O. A. E.
Shotton, lf... 4 0 1 0 0 0
Austin, 2b... 5 1 2 3 0 0
Sisler, 1b... 5 0 1 11 1 1
Jacobson, cf... 4 1 1 4 0 0
Miller, rf... 3 0 1 2 1 0
Marsans, 2b... 4 0 1 2 1 1
Hale, c... 1 0 0 3 3 0
Lavan, ss... 4 0 0 1 4 3
Rogers, p... 0 0 0 0 0 0
Sloan, z... 1 0 0 0 0 0

Totals... 33 2 6 27 14 3
x—batted for Harper in 2nd.
z—batted for Rogers in 9th.

Score by innings:
Washington... 211 110 200—8
St. Louis... 000 000 000—2

Summary
Two base hits—Sisler, Miller,
Judge. Three base hits—Judge.
Home runs—Jacobson. Stolen base—
Shanks (2); Marsans, Miller.
Sacrifice hits—Milan, Shanks. Double
plays—Plank to Lavan to Sisler;
Sisler to Austin; Shanks to Morgan.
Left on base—Washington 8; St.
Louis 10. First base on errors—
Washington 5; St. Louis 1. Bases
on balls—off Harper 1; off Dumont
4; off Plank 3. Hits and earned
runs—off Harper 2 and 2 in 1; off
Plank 10 and 3 in 7; off Dumont 4
and 0 in 8; off Rogers 2 and 0 in 2.
Hit by pitcher—by Dumont (Miller).
Struckout—Harper 1; Dumont 2;
Plank 2; Rogers 1. Wild pitch—
Rogers. Umpires—Dineen and
Owens. Time—2:11.

New York 7; Detroit 3
Detroit, May 18.—New York de-
feated Detroit 7 to 3 today. Frank
Baker doubling in the ninth with
the score tied and three men on
bases, Dauss was unusually wild
today allowing four bases on balls,
hitting two batters and making two
wild pitches.

Score:
New York... 020 000 014—7
Detroit... 000 021 000—3
Batteries—Mogridge and Nuna-
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and Miss Margaret Egan. The roll call
was a noted club woman.

Mrs. J. K. Hatcher gave a paper, "The
Vegetable and Fruit Garden—Its Value
to Man." Mr. Frank Anderson sang;
Miss Helena Markham and Miss Verla
Baker gave instrumental solos. This
was a most interesting and enjoyable
club meeting. Light refreshments were
served.

The next meeting will be the "May
Breakfast" at the home of Mrs. John
Eder, Thursday morning, May 21, for
club members exclusively. A summary
of the year's work will be given and
plans made for the new year. Program
committee appointed was Mrs. H. O.
Smith, Mrs. Alfred Anderson, Mrs. B. J.
Taylor and Mrs. W. W. Anderson.
Miss Gertrude Oken of I. W. C. spent
Wednesday with home folks.

Mr. and Mrs. Edlebrook of Jacksonville
called on relatives here Wednesday.
Services at M. P. church May 20th—
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ject, "Christianity and Business." Past-
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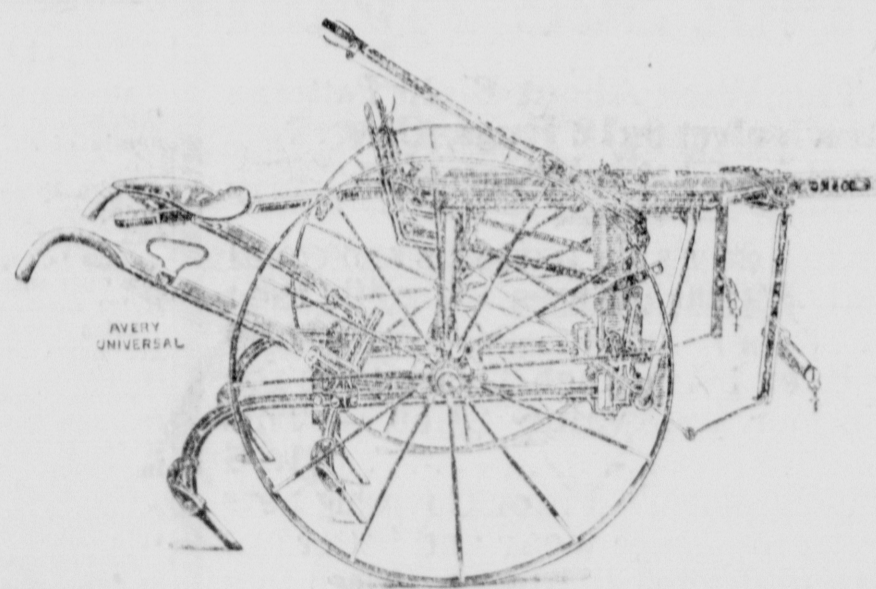
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SATURDAY, MAY 19TH
SAFEST PLACE TO TRADE

MEREDOSIA S. SCHOOL CLASS ENTERTAINED

Mrs. Rice Hostess at Enjoyable Meeting—Prof. Jarman to Superintend Schools at Spartanburg for Rest of Term—Steamer to Make Excursion—Other News Notes

Meredosia, May 17.—Mrs. Luther Rice entertained on Tuesday evening the Sunday school class of which she is a member at the home of Mrs. Fred Brockhouse, who also is a member of the class. The evening was pleasantly spent in a social way and refreshments were served at the close.

Prof. W. W. Jarman left this week for his home in Spartanburg where he had been called to fill out the unexpired school term as the superintendent of the schools in that city had resigned his position. Prof. Jarman will superintend the schools here the coming year and intends moving his family to this city in the near future.

The excursion steamer Columbia will run the first moonlight excursion of the season next Thursday evening, May 24th. The boat will leave Meredosia at 8:20 p. m. for Griggsville landing. Captain Mohl and his gentlemanly crew are well and favorably known for courteous treatment to their patrons. The captain has made extensive improvements on his boat for this season and has engaged a splendid five piece orchestra for the entertainment of the people.

Mrs. Winifred Taylor of Taylorville was a business visitor in the city Tuesday and Wednesday.

E. J. Ellison of Bloomington was a business visitor here Tuesday.

Mrs. Charles Hale of Springfield has been visiting her sister Mrs. W. J. Hale this week.

Frank Riemann of Jacksonville visited relatives in this vicinity Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Isaac Stokes visited with relatives in Jacksonville Tuesday and Wednesday.

Rev. G. W. Wetzel of Jacksonville spent Tuesday in this city.

The following is the stage of water in the Illinois river at this point, for the past week as reported by S. D. Allen, bridge tender.

Above low water mark

Feet Inches

May 10.....11.....19

May 11.....11.....20

May 12.....11.....21

May 13.....11.....22

May 14.....11.....23

May 15.....11.....24

May 16.....11.....25

May 17.....11.....26

May 18.....11.....27

May 19.....11.....28

May 20.....11.....29

May 21.....11.....30

May 22.....11.....31

May 23.....11.....32

May 24.....11.....33

May 25.....11.....34

May 26.....11.....35

May 27.....11.....36

May 28.....11.....37

May 29.....11.....38

May 30.....11.....39

May 31.....11.....40

June 1.....11.....41

June 2.....11.....42

June 3.....11.....43

June 4.....11.....44

June 5.....11.....45

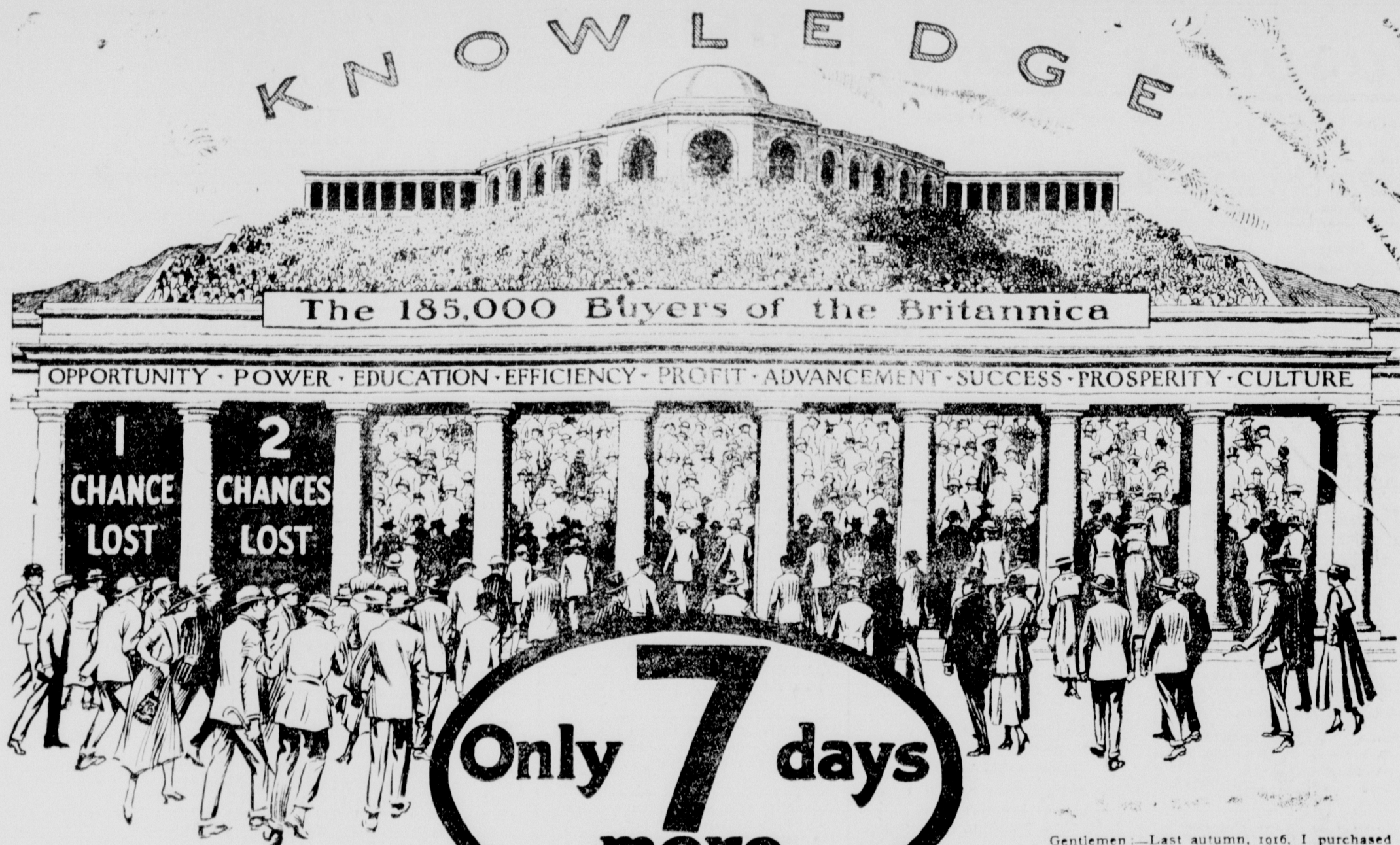
June 6.....11.....46

June 7.....11.....47

June 8.....11.....48

June 9.....11.....49

June 10.....11.....50



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